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This Kids Count report details statewide trends in the well-being of North Dakota's children. The statistical report is based on indicators of child well-being in six areas: (1) family composition, including foster care placement; (2) economic conditions, including children in near or extreme poverty; (3) child health, including low birthweight, and infant and child mortality; (4) education, including high school drop out rates, special education enrollment, Head Start enrollment, and average expenditures per pupil; (5) child safety, including child abuse and neglect, child care capacity, and children affected by domestic violence; and (6) teens at risk, including juvenile court referrals, out of school teens, and juvenile arrests. Part 1 of the report describes the organization and selection of data. Part 2 gives an overview of the statewide trends in each indicator. Part 3, the bulk of the report, contains state, region, and county profiles for each indicator. Results indicate that race/ethnicity, immigration status, and family size are related to child well-being. Foster care demand is increasing faster than the supply. Nearly half the children under six live in poor or nearly poor families. Child health continues to exceed national averages on most indicators, with infant mortality continuing to decline. The high school dropout rate, has declined slightly but dropout continues to be a problem for some reservation counties. About 10 percent of children receive special education. About 4 percent of children are effected by domestic violence. Juvenile court referrals for property offenses have declined. (Definitions and data sources are appended.) (KB)

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Foreword

North Dakota KIDS COUNT!, funded by the Annie E. Casey Foundation, is housed in the Children and Family Services Training Center at the University of North Dakota Social Work Department. The purpose of North Dakota KIDS COUNT! is to collect uniformly available data about child well-being in every county of the state. The goal of this effort is to increase public awareness about the needs of local children and to promote responsible decision making on their behalf. This goal is underpinned by the belief that the more we know about the needs of North Dakota children, the more likely we are to commit ourselves to the work of improving their lives.

The North Dakota KIDS COUNT! project is organized as a collaboration of partners. The North Dakota State Data Center at North Dakota State University shares data collection responsibility with the Child Welfare Research Bureau at the University of North Dakota. Community education has been spearheaded by North Dakota State University Extension Youth and Family staff. Advocacy has been addressed through education of local citizens about issues affecting their children, with follow-up by community groups interested in addressing particular areas of child well-being. Regional and Tribal Children's Coordinating Committees have been instrumental in assisting local communities with this process. Flint Communications has collaborated in the design of the Fact Book. The North Dakota KIDS COUNT! Advisory Board has provided insight and leadership in setting and reaching project goals and objectives.

The *1996 North Dakota KIDS COUNT! Fact Book* is the third Fact Book published by the North Dakota KIDS COUNT! project. The intent of this Fact Book is to report child well-being according to a basic set of criteria uniformly available for each county. Indicators included in the book highlight circumstances affecting children from prenatal through adolescent stages of development. The most recent available data are used to measure the educational, social, economic, and physical well-being of children. The 1996 Fact Book maintains the basic format of the 1994 and 1995 Fact Books to simplify comparison of indicators over time.

With the publication of a third Fact Book, the North Dakota KIDS COUNT! project turns an important corner. Having collected comparable child well-being data for North Dakota counties over the past three years, a baseline has been established, enabling the comparison of child well-being over time. Each successive publication will add another year's dimension to the picture of child well-being in North Dakota counties and for the state as a whole. Looking at indicators over time will allow communities to discern the direction their children are moving in respective areas and to respond more quickly. Future Fact Books will facilitate this process through the presentation of data in a trend format.

ORGANIZATION OF DATA

The 1996 North Dakota KIDS COUNT! Fact Book has been arranged to provide a picture of State, Regional, and County child well-being. Indicators reflecting critical areas of child development have been arranged in seven categories to portray the issues most closely involved in every child's journey to adulthood. The Overview section is designed to give the reader both an at-a-glance perspective and a more in-depth understanding of how North Dakota children and children across the nation are being impacted by the conditions illustrated through groups of indicators. State, Regional, and County data pages present child well-being indicators by category for each respective geographical breakdown. County pages offer the most detailed view of how children are faring in specific communities across the state, while the state data pages provide the broadest perspective of child well-being across the state. Groups of counties comprising North Dakota's eight service delivery regions are highlighted on regional pages. Wherever possible, county and regional data pages furnish indicator percentages designed to reflect more specifically the share of children being affected. More detailed Definitions and Data Sources follow data pages. The Summary section of the Fact Book suggests how the reader might use KIDS COUNT! data to benefit children. Child well-being data represent Native American children who live in respective counties, but not those who live on reservations, with the exception of Head Start data reported by tribe. Some other indicators, such as those based on Census data, Vital Statistics, and child care data, include on and off-reservation children. Efforts to access additional child well-being information by tribe are on-going. All data referenced in this report were collected by North Dakota KIDS COUNT! unless otherwise indicated (by footnote) in Significance discussions for respective categories of child well-being found in the Overview section of the book. Cited data contributors are the final authority for all indicators.

Data Information

DATA SELECTION PROCESS

The majority of data included in the 1996 North Dakota KIDS COUNT! Fact Book has remained the same as that reported in previous Fact Books, to simplify comparisons between years. A few changes have been made to ensure that indicators provide the clearest picture of child well-being for respective areas of concern. The following changes should be noted: Economic Condition: Children Living in Extreme Poverty has been added; Child Health: Federal Reimbursement for Basic Child Nutrition Programs has been changed to Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch and Children Receiving Free Lunch; Education: Special Education age categories 0-2 years and 3-5 years have been collapsed into one category, 0-5 years; and the Educable Mentally Handicapped category has been added; Child Safety: Percentages for reports of Abuse and Neglect (all types) indicate the portion of those reports that were substantiated; Teens at Risk: Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations and Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors have been added to replace Youth Risk Behavior data pertaining to youth alcohol and cigarette use, which are not available by county.

CRITERIA FOR DATA SELECTION

For the most part, data have been selected which best portray outcomes related to child well-being, rather than programmatic data reflecting only those children in a particular service population. Programmatic data have been used when they are the best or only available measure of children affected by a particular condition, such as children who are in respective special education categories. In these instances, caution must be exercised in assessing the actual number of children whose lives may be touched by a given situation, due to variations in the application of referral criteria. Overall, indicators have been chosen on the basis of their availability by county; the validity of data sources; the ability to convey a broad array of child outcomes; the extent to which they provide for common interpretation; the possibility of their being available over time; and their usefulness as a tool to track long-term trends in child outcomes.

DATA LIMITATIONS

Perhaps the most significant limitation encountered in striving to report indicators by county is the fact that some data are simply not available by county. For example, neither immunization statistics nor the number of uninsured children is available for counties. An additional challenge is the fact that Census data, although seven years old, are the most reliable data source for some North Dakota demographic data. More updated data sources for demographic information are typically based on averages which are often less accurate for counties with very small populations. There are also data sources, such as the 1995 Youth Risk Behavior Survey, that cannot be reported by county because survey results were weighted to represent only those students who actually completed the survey, rather than all students by location. As important as identifying the areas where there is a need for child well-being information on a state level, are data collection methods that produce useful data for local decision makers.

FROM WELFARE TO WELL-BEING

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Overview

Our biggest challenge is to ensure that every child has the opportunity to reach adulthood successfully.

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Population

DEFINITIONS

Total Population
Total population projects the total number of people residing in North Dakota, based on 1995 population estimates. (Note that the 1995 estimates used in this publication were the most recent available figures at the time of printing.)

Population by Race of Children Under Age 19
The child population by racial composition reports the numbers of children in respective racial categories, based upon 1994 population estimates. (Note that the 1994 race estimates were the most recent available figures at the time of printing.)

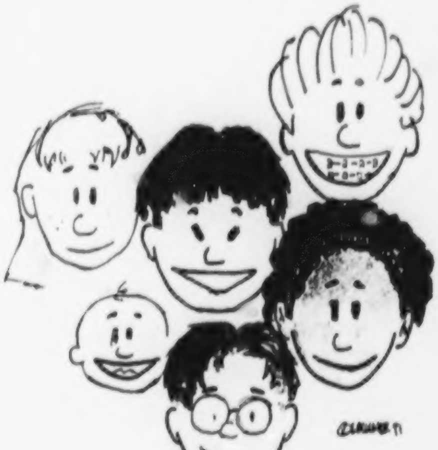
NORTH DAKOTA ANALYSIS

The total population of North Dakota in 1995 was estimated at 641,367. This figure represents a slight growth in population from the previous year. However, the majority of counties in the state continues to lose population, and the limited growth that is occurring is concentrated in the state's major cities. The greatest losses are occurring in the young age groups. This is due largely to heavy out migration of young adults during the 1980s. As a result, the birth rates have been consistently declining statewide since the mid-1980s. Declines among pre-schoolers, those under the age of 6, are the greatest, with the majority of counties losing more than ten percent since 1990. Although the school-age population, those 6 to 17 years of age, has grown statewide, most counties have seen declines in this age group as well.

The racial composition in North Dakota remains very homogeneous. Slightly more than ninety-four percent of the population is white. Native Americans represent the largest minority group in the state, with approximately 27,363 residents. The fastest growing minority segment of the state, however, is the Asian population. Between 1990 and 1994, their numbers are estimated to have grown by over thirty-two percent, rising from 3,462 to 4,474.

POPULATION FAST FACTS

- North Dakota's population in 1995 (641,367) was only slightly higher than that of 1990 (638,800).
- The number of children in North Dakota under 5 years of age dropped over 12% between 1990 and 1995, an estimated 7,111 children.
- The number of school-age children increased slightly between 1990 and 1995 roughly 2% to 119,402.
- 94% of the state's total population is white.
- The fastest growing racial group in North Dakota is Asian, increasing by 32% since 1990; however, Native Americans comprise the largest minority group in the state.



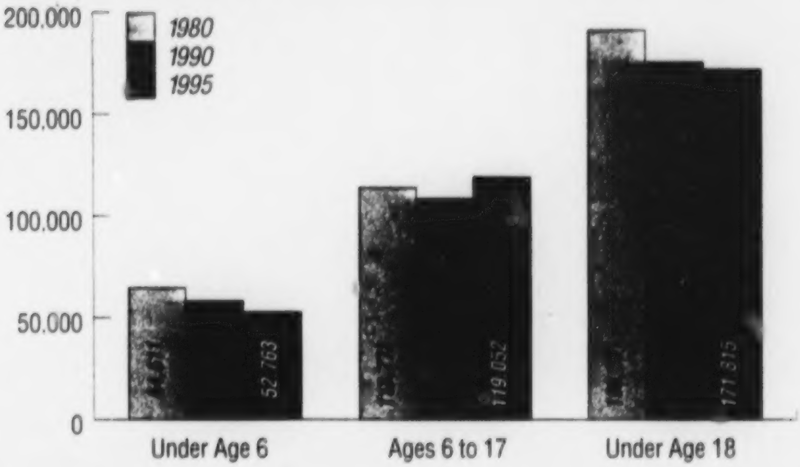
Population

SIGNIFICANCE

- During the 1980s, Americans left small towns, rural areas, and center cities and moved to the suburbs, where over half of the population now lives. Generally speaking, "movers" have been younger and better educated than "stayers."
- More than half the counties in America had decreases in their population from 1980 to 1990, mostly in the "Heartland," which lost younger and better educated citizens to the Southeast, Southwest, and Pacific Coast. The out migration of young people is not made up by other young people moving in, signaling a growing proportion of elderly in middle America.
- Economic, social, and demographic pressures affect American families powerfully. In the past three decades the change in regular patterns of contact between American children and their adult relatives is remarkable. These changes challenge virtually all families in providing the nurturing, love, support, and other elements their children need in order to grow up successfully.
- Knowledge about the race/ethnicity and immigration status of children, as well as the size of families in which children live, is important for understanding child well-being. These factors directly relate to the type of family environment within which children grow and develop. They can also predict the socioeconomic resources available to respective families.
- By 2030, most of America's school children will be minority, as will most Americans by 2050. The cultural impact of this trend will be significant since most of America's current common culture is European in origin.

PERSONS UNDER 18 YEARS IN NORTH DAKOTA

1980, 1990 and 1995



Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce

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Family Composition

DEFINITIONS

Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families
Children who live in families headed by one person - male or female - with no spouse present in the home.

Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18
This includes the number of women over age 15 with children in respective age categories and the percentage of these women in the North Dakota Labor Force.

Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care
Children placed in living situations outside their family homes as a result of Juvenile Court intervention.

NORTH DAKOTA ANALYSIS

Over eighty-five percent of the families in the state are married couple families. North Dakota has the third lowest proportion of families with children headed by a single parent. However, the number of single parent families in the state has risen dramatically, increasing five percentage points in just the first two years of the 1990s. Current estimates suggest that roughly one in six families with children are headed by a single parent in North Dakota. Nationally, more than one in four children are living in a single parent family.

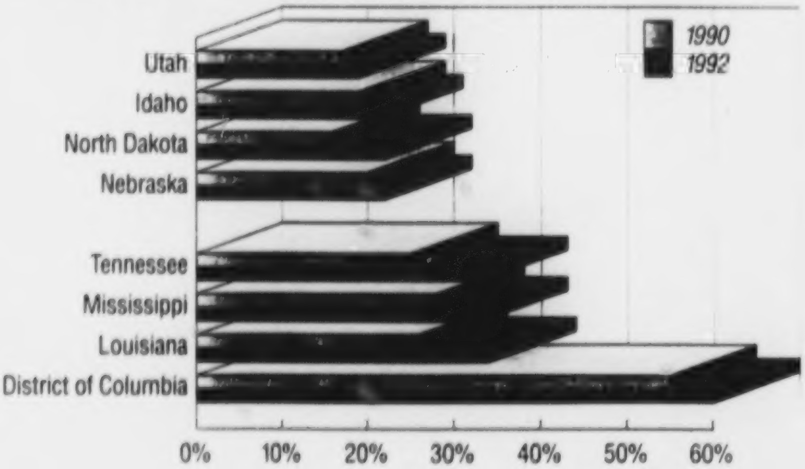
A growing number of women in North Dakota continues to enter the labor force. Currently, almost seventy percent of mothers with preschoolers under the age of six, are actively in the labor force. This is ten percentage points higher than the national average. Similarly, eighty percent of mothers with school-age children are actively in the labor force, fifteen percentage points higher than the national average.

FAMILY COMPOSITION FAST FACTS

- In 1990, over 85% of all families in North Dakota were married couples, and about 15% were single parent families.
- Between 1990 and 1992, the proportion of children living in single parent homes in North Dakota rose from 13.5% to 18.3%.
- Nearly 70% of women in North Dakota with children under the age of 6 are in the labor force.
- 80% of women with children between 6-17 years of age are in the labor force.
- The number of children in foster care continues to increase, as the total number of children receiving care in fiscal year 1995 rose nearly 3% from FY 1994.

FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN HEADED BY SINGLE PARENT

Ranking of Lowest and Highest Four States in the U.S.



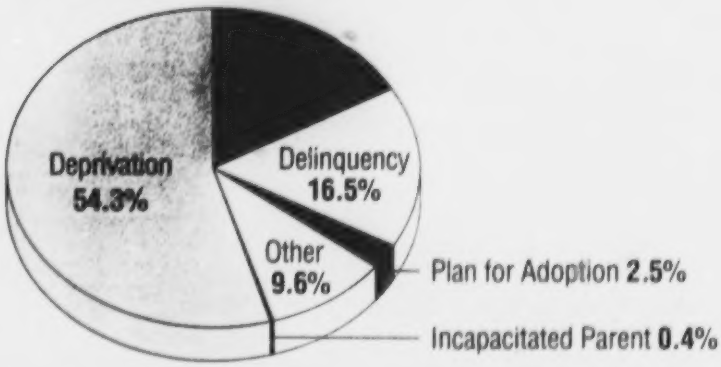
Family Composition

SIGNIFICANCE

- Family structure, which generally refers to the marital status of a child's parents, and family stability (changes in marital status) are not direct indicators of child well-being; they are, however, associated with many things that do directly measure child well-being. Children who grow up with one parent, for instance, are more likely than children from two-parent families to drop out of high school.
- The Carnegie Foundation reports that the stresses imposed by today's demographic, economic, and social trends affect all families, even the most fortunate. Parents are finding that they must devote much more time to earning a living and that they have much less time for their children than parents had a generation ago. This shift is largely due to the family's economic need to have mothers in the paid labor force.
- Since 1950, the percentage of children living in single-parent families has nearly tripled -- due to increased divorce rates and the number of births occurring outside marriage. The increase in families headed by single parents underscores the importance of resources to support children whose parents face increased stress and economic hardship.
- The demand for foster homes is increasing faster than the supply of available resources. In 1985, there were 147,000 foster homes and 276,000 children in care. By 1994, there were 125,000 foster homes and an estimated 450,000 children in care.
- For increasing numbers of children, kinship care -- that is, placement of children with relatives other than their parents -- is replacing other foster care arrangements. More than 1.3 million American children are being raised by relatives other than their parents. Even more startling, the number of grandparents raising their grandchildren soared more than forty percent in the last decade.
- Many of the children coming into foster care today are medically fragile and/or physically handicapped. Between 1984 and 1990 there was a twelve percent increase in the number of children who entered foster care because of their own handicap or disability.

OPENING REASONS FOR CHILDREN ENTERING FOSTER CARE

North Dakota FY 1995



Source: Foster Care, FY 1995, ND Department of Human Services

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Economic Condition

DEFINITIONS

Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance

Aid to Families with Dependent Children is an entitlement program that provides a monthly payment to parents or guardians on behalf of eligible children who are defined as "dependent". Children must be found eligible to receive such assistance. **Medicaid** is a joint federal-state matching entitlement program in which Federal and state dollars combine to purchase health care for the poor elderly or disabled and for poor children and their families.

Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty

Children living in poverty are related children under age 18 who live in families with incomes below the poverty threshold, as defined by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget.

Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18

Median Income is the middle point income of the total number of families with children, including those with no income.

Children in Near-Poor Families

Near-poor children under age 18 are those who live in families with incomes between 100 and 149 percent of the poverty threshold, as defined by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget.

Children Living in Extreme Poverty

Children living in extreme poverty are related children under age 18 who live in families with incomes below 50 percent of the poverty threshold, as defined by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget.

NORTH DAKOTA ANALYSIS

Various economic indicators of children's well-being in North Dakota offer a troubling picture. For example, 35,413 persons under the age of 21 received AFDC (Aid to Families with Dependent Children) and Medical Assistance during fiscal year 1995. Although this number is down two percent from the previous year, it still represents a sizeable portion of our youth (e.g., larger than North Dakota's fourth largest city, Minot). A similarly large portion of our youth (34,560) is receiving Medicaid. This number is up slightly from the previous year. Perhaps most distressing is the high proportion of impoverished children under 18 years of age in North Dakota. Roughly seventeen percent of all children in North Dakota were living in poverty in 1990. Of the 29,732 impoverished children in our state in 1990, forty-three percent were in extreme poverty -- defined as living below 50 percent of the poverty threshold. Another 12.6 percent of North Dakota children live in near poor families, with incomes between 100 and 149 percent of the poverty threshold. The threshold for poverty is based on an estimate of the amount of money individuals need to maintain a minimal level of subsistence. It is determined by the number of persons in a household or family.

A recent study from the North Dakota Community Action Association reveals disturbing news about children and families. A survey of 1,761 North Dakota aid recipients shows that young adults and young families are over represented among those receiving aid. Young adults in their 20s represent roughly eighteen percent of the total state adult population, however they account for over one-third of those receiving aid. Single mothers comprise a large portion of this needy group. The survey also indicates that half of the aid recipients are regularly employed -- in fact, a quarter of them are employed full-time. Also, twelve percent have a college degree, and an additional twenty-two percent have at least some college. These data point to the extremely difficult challenge North Dakota faces with respect to welfare reform.

ECONOMIC CONDITION FAST FACTS

- In fiscal year 1995, 35,413 persons under age 21 received AFDC and Medical Assistance in North Dakota.
- Of the 29,732 impoverished children in North Dakota in 1990, 43% lived in extreme poverty.
- In fiscal year 1996, 24,187 women, infants, and children participated in North Dakota's WIC program.
- The majority of public assistance recipients are educated; part- or full-time employed; and remain on public assistance less than 2 years.

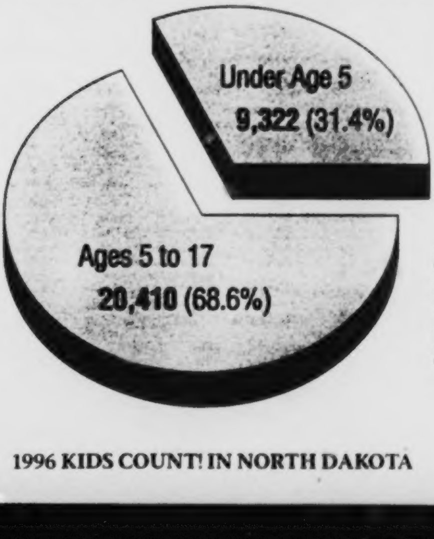
Economic Condition

SIGNIFICANCE

- Poverty, near poverty, and extreme poverty among young children are important indicators of America's health and significant predictors of the future well-being of its children. They can help Americans understand how many children are particularly at risk during the early years that have the greatest impact on their development.
- Nearly half of all children under age six (forty-five percent) lived in poor or nearly poor families in 1994. In addition to the 6.1 million young children who lived in poverty, another 4.8 million children lived in near poverty.
- The percentage of young children living in extreme poverty increased from six percent to twelve percent between 1975 and 1994 -- growing faster than the percentage of young children who are either poor or nearly poor.
- Under new welfare legislation, the Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC) program is replaced by the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) program. With implementation of TANF, it is estimated that some eight million families with children, many of them working families impacted by cuts in food stamps, will lose an average of $1,300 per family. It is anticipated that families just above the poverty line will lose income, and families already poor will be made poorer.
- Evidence suggests that new welfare legislation will offer little help in reducing the official poverty rate because: only about one-fifth of the 23 million adults and one-half of the 15 million children living below the poverty line are enrolled in the AFDC program; welfare by itself does not provide enough cash to put a family's income above the poverty line; and many of the poor who move off welfare through employment will simply become part of the "working poor."
- Employment alone does not guarantee economic security, as is demonstrated in a recent survey of low-income citizens across North Dakota. While many aid recipients are employed and educated, they struggle to support themselves and their families in jobs that pay wages too low to lift them out of poverty.

PERSONS UNDER 18 BELOW POVERTY

By Age in North Dakota, 1990



Persons under 18 below poverty in North Dakota = 29,732

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Child Health

DEFINITIONS

Children Receiving Reduced-Price or Free Lunch
Children receiving reduced-price or free lunch is the number of children participating in the federal School Lunch program. Children receiving reduced-price lunch live in families with incomes below 185% of the poverty threshold, while those receiving free lunch live in families with incomes below 130% of the poverty threshold.

Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid
Children receiving Medicaid is the number of eligible children enrolled in this federal entitlement program. The program is designed to assist eligible individuals and families obtain health care.

WIC Participants
WIC participants are eligible women, infants, and children who take part in the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC). WIC is a prevention program targeted to provide nutrition education, nutritious food, and access to health care.

Low Birth Weight Babies
Low birth weight babies are infants weighing less than 2,500 grams (5.5 pounds) at birth. Data are reported by mother's county of residence, rather than the location of the hospital where the birth occurred.

Deaths of Infants Under Age 1
Deaths of infants under age 1 is the number of babies who die before their first birthday. These data are recorded on death certificates by the mother's county of residence.

Deaths of Children Under Age 20
Deaths of children under age 20 reports the number of children who die before their twentieth birthday. Data are obtained from death certificates by the child's county of residence.

Inadequate Prenatal Care
Women with inadequate prenatal care is the number of pregnant women who delay prenatal care until the third trimester or do not complete recommended visits prior to the birth of their child.

NORTH DAKOTA ANALYSIS

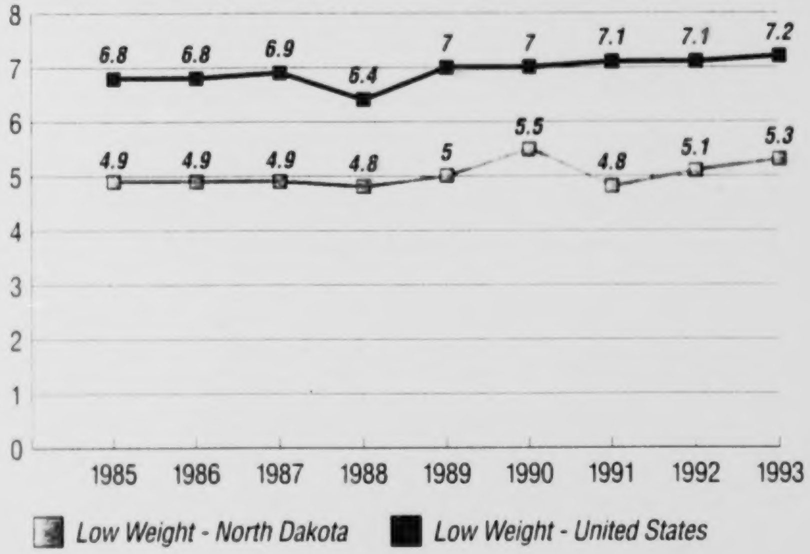
The health of children in North Dakota continues to exceed national averages on most major indicators. Infant mortality rates continue to decline in the state, dropping below 7.2 deaths per 1,000 live births in 1995. There were 84 deaths to children ages 1-19 in 1995, up slightly from 1994, yet still below national averages. However, the rate of low weight births in North Dakota has shown little improvement, with an overall increase since 1985. The rate of births under 5.5 pounds to total live births has increased from 4.9 per 1,000 live births in 1985 to 5.3 in 1995. Recognizing the increased health risks for low birth weight infants points to the need for greater attention to this area of maternal and child health.

CHILD HEALTH FAST FACTS

- In fiscal year 1995, 34,560 people under age 21 received Medicaid in North Dakota, a slight increase from the previous year.
- In 1995, 145 deaths of children under age 20 were reported in North Dakota, of which 61 were infants under the age of 1.
- In 1995, 449 low weight births (under 5.5 pounds) were reported in North Dakota, representing 5.3% of all live births.
- About 4% of North Dakota women who gave birth in 1995 received inadequate prenatal care. However, in eight either sparsely populated or reservation counties, the percentage of women receiving inadequate care ranged from 10 to 28 percent.

LOW WEIGHT BIRTHS IN NORTH DAKOTA & THE U.S.

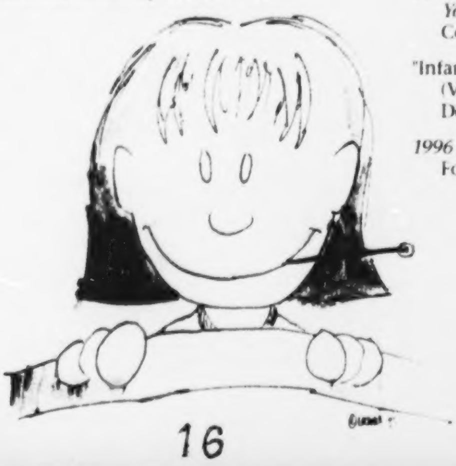
1985 - 1993, Rates per 1,000 Live Births



Child Health

SIGNIFICANCE

- Numerous studies have shown that children with health insurance are more likely to get the health and preventive care they need in a timely fashion. Children without health insurance or with interruptions in coverage are less likely to have a regular source of care and routine doctor visits. Children lacking health insurance are also less likely to get care for injuries; see a physician for chronic illness, such as asthma; be appropriately immunized; or receive dental care.
- The number of uninsured children has steadily increased over the past eight years. Most recent figures estimate that some 14.2 percent of children nationally and 10 percent of North Dakota children do not have health insurance coverage. Recent research also suggests that even larger numbers of Native American children in North Dakota may be uninsured because Native Americans are twice as likely as other minority groups to lack health insurance.
- Private health insurance is primarily employment-based in the United States, but many children remain uninsured, despite the fact that their parents work. Health insurance is less likely to be offered in the firms that employ low-income workers, and if it is available, it is too costly. Additional working parents are ineligible for health benefits because they work part-time.
- Studies have demonstrated the positive impact of school meals on test scores and other educational measures for children. There is concern that reductions in Food Stamp benefits may mean child nutrition programs become the primary source of nutrition for poor children. However, these child nutrition programs are also undergoing some changes that will affect the supply and cost of food available to eligible children.
- Immunizations are a dramatically cost-effective health measure for children, with an estimated $10 to $14 in savings on health care for every $1 spent on immunizations. Despite the proven effectiveness of timely immunizations for children, the number of children adequately immunized continues to fluctuate. With each downward trend, the incidence of preventable childhood disease increases.
- Both in North Dakota and across the nation, the number of babies born at low birth weights has continued to increase. This upward trend is of special concern because babies born too small are at greater risk for lifelong medical and developmental problems, and may reflect the declining health of many mothers.



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Education

DEFINITIONS

Average Expenditures Per Pupil
Average expenditures per pupil is the average cost of educating each student in a given area. The average cost per pupil is obtained by dividing instruction, administration, and operation costs for school plants in counties, regions or the state by the average number of students in daily attendance during a school year in respective areas.

Average Daily Membership of Public Schools
Average daily membership is the average number of students attending public schools on a daily basis in North Dakota. Data are reported by counties, regions, and the state for a respective school year.

Number and Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12
The dropout rate of children in grades 9-12 measures the proportion of the children in this population who have not completed high school and are not enrolled at a given point in time, regardless of when they dropped out.

Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start - Center Based, Home Based, and Reservation Based
Children ages 3-4 enrolled in Head Start is the best available estimate of on- and off-reservation eligible 3-4 year olds enrolled in Center Based, Home Based, or Reservation Based Head Start preschool programs. Not all eligible children are enrolled.

Special Education Enrollment
Special education enrollment includes children in special education classes by four selected categories: seriously emotionally disturbed, speech impaired, specific learning disability, and educable mentally handicapped.

Average ACT Composite Scores
Average ACT scores refer to the average scores obtained by students in North Dakota counties, regions and the state on the American College Test (ACT) college entrance exam. ACT scores are designed to predict a student's potential for success in college.

NORTH DAKOTA ANALYSIS

The average daily membership of public schools during academic year 1994-1995 was 120,440 students, while the average expenditure per pupil was $4,378.00. Three North Dakota counties had per pupil expenditures two to three times greater than the state average. These counties were either sparsely populated or reservation counties.

Fewer students dropped out of school during the 1994-95 academic year, resulting in a slight decrease in the dropout rate from the previous academic year (2.6 in 1993-1994 vs. 2.4 in 1994-1995). However, high dropout rates continue to be a problem for some North Dakota reservation counties, where rates were about four to five times greater than the state dropout rate. In addition, although the state average ACT score for the 1995-1996 academic year was equivalent to the 1993-1994 average of 21.2, average scores for some counties were well below the state average.

Slightly more than ten percent of the total number of children enrolled in public schools received special education services in 1995. The majority of the children enrolled in special education were from six to eleven years old. The most common services provided were for specific learning disabilities (44 percent) and speech impairments (about 33 percent).

Fall 1996 enrollment for Head Start decreased by nearly two percent from 1995 enrollment figures. Of the 2,401 children enrolled in 1996, nearly one-third (31 percent) were enrolled in reservation programs, which were all center-based. On average, about two-thirds of all children eligible for Head Start were enrolled. Eligibility figures are actually conservative estimates of the actual total number of children in need of Head Start services. Many children who would benefit from Head Start are not enrolled because their parents do not meet the national income eligibility requirements for the program. Others who are income eligible may remain on a waiting list for services, or their parents may decide not to enroll their children in the program.

EDUCATION FAST FACTS

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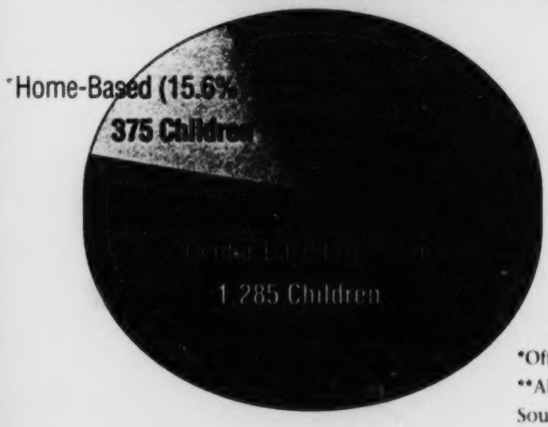
- High dropout rates continue to be a problem for some reservation counties, where rates were about 4 to 5 times higher than the overall state dropout rate.
- Slightly more than 10% of the total number of children enrolled in public schools in North Dakota received special education services in 1995.
- Overall, Head Start enrollment for 1996 decreased by 2% from 1995. Of the 2,401 children enrolled in Head Start, nearly one-third were enrolled in reservation-based programs.

Education

SIGNIFICANCE

- Providing equal education for all children is one of today's biggest educational challenges. A recent study finds that most states (33 of 49) target more state funds to poor school districts than to wealthy districts, based to some extent on district income. Of the remaining sixteen states, fourteen provide approximately equal state funding to poor and wealthy districts, while two states -- North Dakota and Louisiana -- provide more state funding to wealthy districts than to poor districts.
- Impressive new research documents evidence that a child's later success in school is directly related to dynamic processes affecting brain development in utero, during infancy, and the first years of life. These findings suggest that a child's earliest developmental years are perhaps the most critical educational years because the early interaction between a child's environment and genetic programming determine how the brain will develop and function over time.
- There is evidence that as many as one-third of American children today are entering kindergarten without the skills they need to keep up with their peers, leading to an inability to master the concepts they will need to succeed later in life. This crisis in underachievement affects children of all socioeconomic levels. Many of today's fourth graders are not sufficiently proficient in reading, writing, and mathematics to be able to cope successfully in the information-based, globalized economy of the next century.
- With the passage of new welfare legislation, the Supplemental Security Income (SSI) program has tightened eligibility criteria for disabled children. Under new regulations, not all disabled children will remain eligible for SSI assistance, and some families may also face additional losses of Medicaid. Many families of disabled children could face difficult financial challenges in losing these resources.
- There is growing evidence that schools can and often do play a vital role in protecting children from otherwise damaging family and community environments. Just as in families, the level of caring and support within the school is a powerful predictor of positive outcomes for students. This research suggests that schools can play a powerful role in influencing the success of students who are lacking critical supports in other areas of their lives.

HEAD START FALL ENROLLMENT - 1996



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**All Center Based Programs

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Child Safety

DEFINITIONS

Child Abuse and Neglect Reports
Child abuse and neglect reports are the total number of official reports made to the North Dakota Department of Human Services, as well as other entities during fiscal year 1995. "Official" reports are formal reports indicating that child abuse or neglect may be taking place.

Licensed Child Care Providers
Licensed child care providers are individuals or organizations to whom permission has been granted by the North Dakota Department of Human Services to operate a family child care home, group child care facility, child care center, or preschool educational facility.

Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers
Standard compliance certification/in-home providers includes individuals who provide child care in their home or a child's home but are not licensed by the state of North Dakota and care for five or fewer children. These providers complete a voluntary self-certification process.

Licensed Child Care Capacity and Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity
Child care capacity for Licensed, Standard Compliance Certification, and In-Home Providers is the number of children for whom care can be provided by respective care givers.

Children Impacted by Domestic Violence
Children impacted by domestic violence is the number of children who are reported to be affected by domestic violence occurring in their homes.

NORTH DAKOTA ANALYSIS

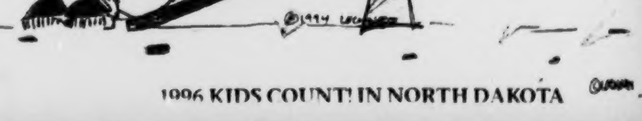
There were 3,453 victims of child abuse and neglect during fiscal year 1995, which means that there were over nine victims of abuse and/or neglect per day in North Dakota. The majority of these reports were for neglect (44 percent), followed by abuse (34 percent), abuse and neglect (14 percent), and sexual abuse (8 percent). In 42 percent of the total reports, abuse and/or neglect was substantiated. Nearly half (47 percent) of all neglect reports were confirmed, while the same was true for only about one-third (32 percent) of all sexual abuse reports. The total number of reports varied by county, ranging from zero to 1,094 reports.

The Licensed and Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home (SCC/IH) child care provider data include more accurate data from North Dakota reservation child care providers than in previous years. This was accomplished by complementing state data with county-level child care provider data sources. As of February 1, 1997, there were 1,972 licensed and 1,331 SCC/IH child care providers in North Dakota. Compared to August 1, 1995 figures, licensed providers decreased by six percent, while SCC/IH providers dropped by almost twenty-two percent in 1997. Even though the number of licensed providers decreased, they were able to serve 335 more children than in August of 1995. The drop in SCC/IH child care capacity, however, was proportionate to the decrease in these providers, losing twenty-two percent of their capacity, which may ultimately affect over 1,800 children and their families.

On average, around four percent of North Dakota's children reportedly were impacted by domestic violence during the first six months of 1996. In three counties, the percentage of children impacted was three to four times higher than the North Dakota average. Compared to the previous year, there was a twenty-five percent increase in the number of children impacted by domestic violence.

CHILD SAFETY FAST FACTS

- There were 3,453 victims of child abuse and neglect in FY 1995, which means that there were over 9 victims of abuse and/or neglect per day in North Dakota.
- Compared to August 1995 figures, licensed child care providers decreased by 6%, while SCC/IH providers dropped by almost 22% in February 1997.
- The drop in SCC/IH child care capacity in 1997 may ultimately affect over 1,800 children and their families.
- Compared to the previous year, there was a 25% increase in the number of children impacted by domestic violence during the first 6 months of 1996.



Child Safety

SIGNIFICANCE

- Child abuse and neglect continue to threaten the lives of children across America. During the past decade, the number of children abused and neglected annually has more than doubled -- from 1.4 million to 2.9 million. Some 2,000 children die of abuse and neglect each year.
- All forms of abuse and neglect have serious implications for a child's later development, which is demonstrated in an on-going study of child victims as they reach adulthood. One notable finding is that violence arrest rates for those who were neglected are almost as high as for those who were physically abused.
- Both national and North Dakota statistics for child maltreatment confirm that except in cases of sexual abuse, the majority of child abuse and neglect victims are maltreated by their birth parents. With most children being victimized in their own homes by their own parents, the debate over parental rights to inflict corporal punishment is even more troubling.
- Current evidence suggests that in the majority of states there are already many more families eligible for child care assistance than there are resources. Child care shortages for low income families can be expected to grow as the demand increases with implementation of new welfare work requirements. There is a danger that limited child care dollars may be spread too thin -- sacrificing quality -- in trying to accommodate the needs of more families.
- Children who witness domestic violence are at high risk for major complications in their development. Children who see caregivers using violence to solve problems come to believe that violence is an acceptable way to solve conflicts, which affects their ability to formulate healthy relationships as children. As this pattern continues, violence is seen as a vehicle to control one's self and others. Later in life, violence born out of the need to control another may result in a repetition of the type of relationship violence the child experienced growing up.

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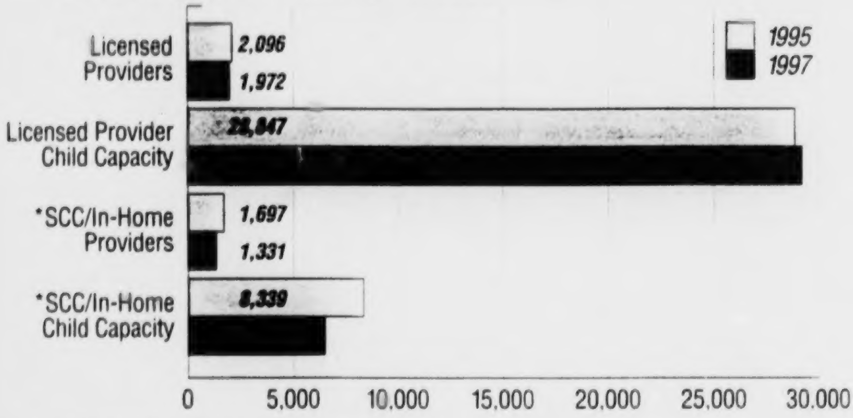
CHILD CARE PROVIDERS

February 1997 vs. August 1995



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Teens At Risk

DEFINITIONS

Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19
Out-of-wedlock births to teens is the number of births to 12-19 year old young women who are not married at the time of conception, at the time of birth, or at any time between conception and birth.

Juvenile Court Referrals
Juvenile court referrals is the number of cases that have been referred to juvenile court in 1995 by police, parents, school teacher/officials, or other sources. Only the top three referral categories are included: Unruly Behavior, Offenses Against Person, and Offenses Against Property.

Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations
Juvenile arrests for liquor law violations are violations by children under age 18 of state or local liquor laws, excluding drunkenness and driving under the influence.

Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors
Tobacco outlets illegally selling cigarettes to minors is the number of tobacco outlets found to be selling cigarettes to minors, as conveyed in the 1996 Tobacco Sales Compliance Survey conducted by the University of North Dakota Bureau of Governmental Affairs.

Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force
Children not enrolled in high school and not in the labor force measures the proportion of the population in this age category, who have not completed high school and are not enrolled at a given point in time; nor are they in the labor force at a given point in time.

NORTH DAKOTA ANALYSIS

There were 626 out-of-wedlock births to teens in 1995, representing 7.4 percent of the total live births in North Dakota. The percentage of out-of-wedlock births to live births varied greatly by county, ranging from zero to twenty-eight percent. In four counties, twenty to twenty-eight percent of the live births were to teens.

A total of 8,070 juvenile court referrals were recorded in 1995 for teens under the age of eighteen. During 1995, 2,394 referrals for offenses against property were recorded, a decrease of seventeen percent from those made in 1993. As in previous years, the majority (43 percent) of juvenile court referrals was for unruly behavior. Nearly half (45 percent) of all referrals came from the three most populated North Dakota counties, and more than one-fourth of all referrals came from one region in North Dakota.

Over 1,500 juvenile arrests were made for liquor law violations in 1995 according to Uniform Crime Report statistics. These arrests accounted for sixteen percent of all juvenile arrests for that year. Regionally, the percentage of juvenile arrests for liquor law violations ranged from ten to twenty-four percent of all juvenile arrests in 1995.

Of the 403 tobacco outlets randomly inspected during a North Dakota tobacco compliance study, thirty-one percent sold cigarettes illegally to minors. Outlets in the smallest towns and least populated rural areas in North Dakota were most likely to sell to minors, where the illegal sales rate was sixty-two percent. Communities without local tobacco-control activity also had higher illegal sales rates (forty-three percent) compared to communities with weak (fourteen percent illegal sales rate) or strong (twelve percent illegal sales rate) local ordinances.

TEENS AT RISK FAST FACTS

- There were 626 out-of-wedlock births to teens in 1995, representing 7.4% of the total live births in North Dakota, and a slight increase over 1994.
- The percentage of out-of-wedlock births to teens varied greatly by county, ranging from 0 to 28%.
- A total of 8,070 juvenile court referrals were recorded in 1995 for teens under the age of 18.
- Nearly half (45%) of all 1995 juvenile court referrals came from the 3 most populated North Dakota counties, and more than 1/4 of all referrals came from one region in North Dakota.
- Regionally, the percentage of juvenile arrests for liquor law violations ranged from 10 to 24% of all juvenile arrests in 1995.
- Of the 403 tobacco outlets randomly inspected during a North Dakota tobacco compliance study, 31% sold cigarettes illegally to minors.

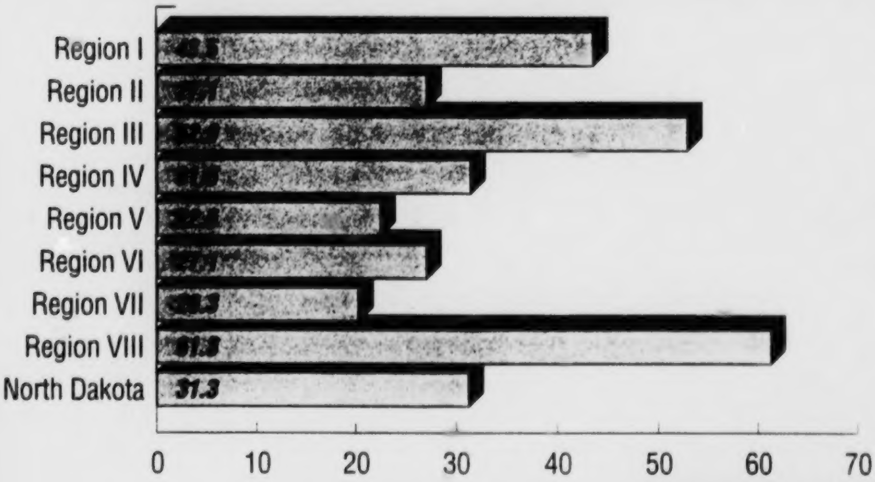
Teens at Risk

SIGNIFICANCE

- Recent research on adolescent childbearing finds that sexual abuse and sexual exploitation are often overlooked as factors in high-risk sexual behavior and pregnancy among teens. The effects of child sexual abuse - which may affect many areas of child development - may also be linked to adolescent pregnancy. Sexual abuse victims, who view themselves as powerless and passive actors, are particularly prone to risk-taking behavior leading to teen pregnancy.
- There is concern that current sentiment favoring harsher treatment of juveniles who commit crimes will ultimately result in billions of dollars being put into prison construction, when more modest prevention measures, as basic as cracking down on stores that sell liquor to youth, can produce positive results. Similarly, mentoring, recreation, education, counseling, and job/life training programs also offer positive outcomes in reducing juvenile crime long-term. Despite the tenor of political debate, recent surveys confirm public support for prevention over punitiveness.
- On a national level, after years of continuous decline, high school seniors report an increase in marijuana use, from twelve percent in 1992 to twenty-one percent in 1995; other illicit drug use, from six percent in 1992 to ten percent in 1995; and a fairly steady level of alcohol use - fifty-one percent - for the same time period. Eighth and tenth grade students reflect similar increases, although at lower levels.
- Nationwide, increased smoking rates among adolescents have been partially attributed to cigarette advertising and promotion targeted to youth. In response to this situation, many communities have instituted measures to curb the sale of tobacco products to youth.

OUTLETS SELLING CIGARETTES ILLEGALLY TO MINORS

Percent of Randomly Sampled Tobacco Outlets



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State, Region, and County Data

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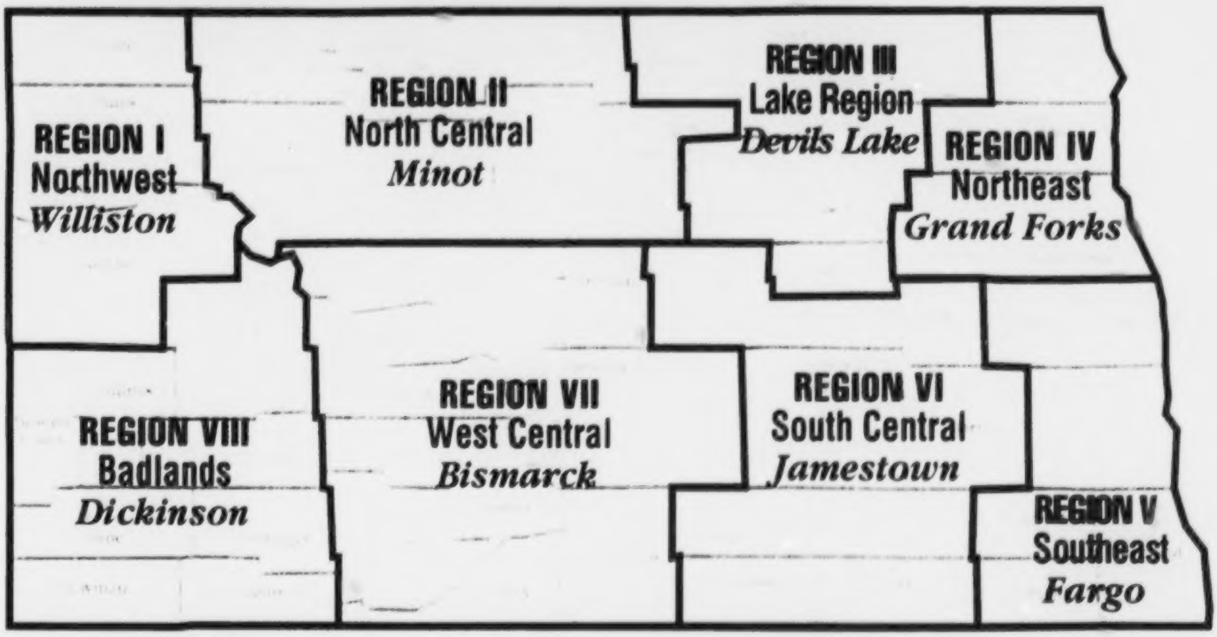
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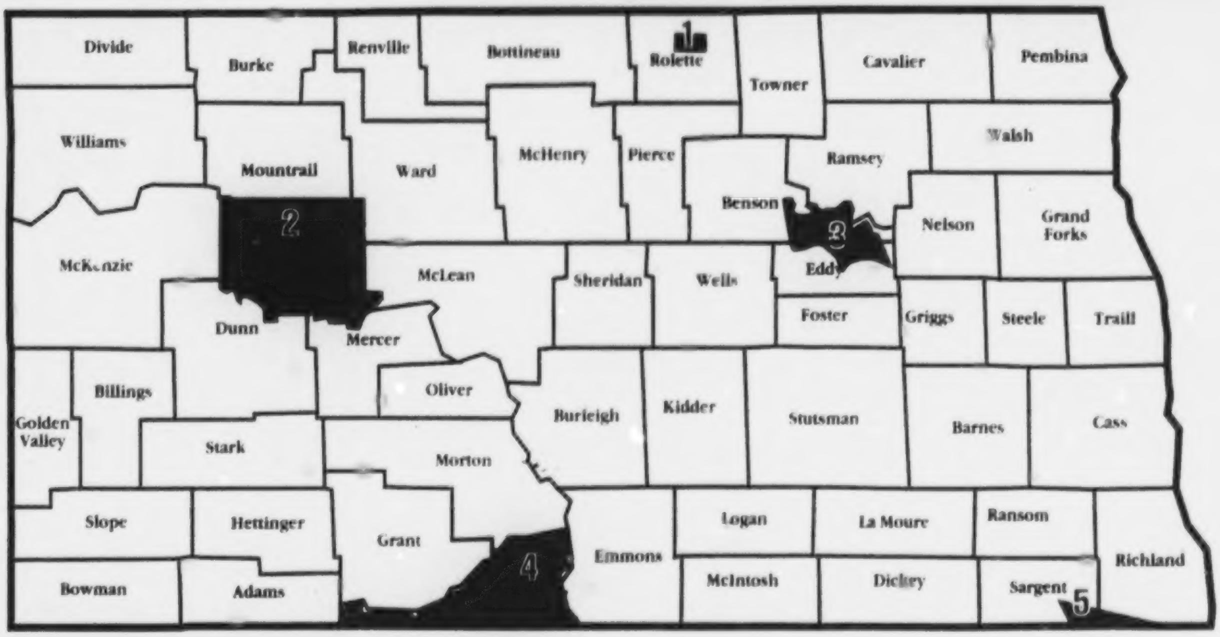
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North Dakota

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State Capital:	**Bismarck**
National Population Rank:	**47**
Land Area:	**68,994.3**
Number of Households:	**241,975**
Number of Families:	**166,973**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION		
Total Population, 1995 (1)	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION		
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	24,886	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION		
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH		
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	84	1.4%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 (17)	357	4.2%

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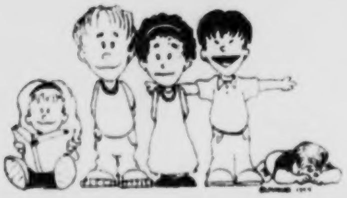

	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION		
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21)c	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY		
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect (24)	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse (24)	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27)d	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK		
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29)e	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (29)	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (29)	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (29)	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (30)f	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (31)	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 (32)	780	2.1%

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Region I

County Seat: N/A
State Population Rank: 8
Land Area: 6,072.2
Number of Households: 10,960
Number of Families: 7,748

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	REGION I	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	28,883	4.5%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	2,532	30.5%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	5,778	69.5%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	9,081	31.4%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	8,088	89.1%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	10	0.1%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	966	10.6%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	17	0.2%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	106	1.2%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	1,274	14.0%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	4,214	72.6%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	1,988	67.6%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	2,226	77.0%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	94	1.1%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	60	63.8%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	34	47.1%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	1,988	58.2%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	1,784	19.4%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	510	22.0%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	1,274	18.6%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$27,579.00	91.9%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	1,035	11.3%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	661	7.2%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	418	4.7%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	1,328	14.8%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	1,914	55.6%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	1,026	4.2%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	17	5.1%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	2	0.6%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	4	1.2%	84	1.4%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 (17)	23	6.9%	357	4.2%

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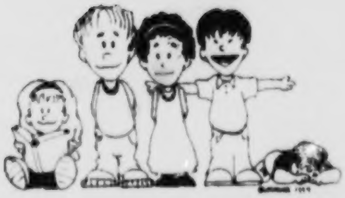

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EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$4,932.16	112.7%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	6,072.63	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	62	3.3%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	132	71.0%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	100	75.8%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	0	0.0%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21)c	32	24.2%	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	619	10.4%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	75	12.1%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	249	40.2%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	261	42.2%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	34	5.5%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	36	5.8%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	198	32.0%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	283	45.7%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	35	5.7%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	20.6	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	213	46.0%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	96	50.0%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	88	44.3%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect (24)	12	25.0%	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse (24)	17	47.1%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	58	1.8%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	99	3.0%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	827	2.3%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	532	1.5%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27)d	179	4.3%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	32	9.5%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29)e	287	3.6%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	142	49.5%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	15	5.2%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	83	28.9%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31)f	121	23.8%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	23	43.5%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 (33)	20	1.3%	780	2.1%

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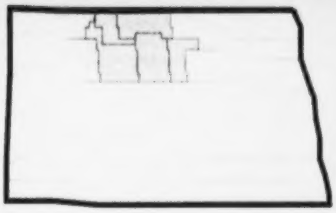

Region II

County Seat: N/A
State Population Rank: 4
Land Area: 10,376.2
Number of Households: 33,711
Number of Families: 23,939

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	REGION II	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	89,622	14.0%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	7,446	31.1%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	16,527	68.9%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3)a	26,590	30.0%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	24,444	91.9%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	587	2.2%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	1,217	4.6%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	342	1.3%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4)a	440	1.7%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	3,517	14.0%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	12,468	71.0%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	6,123	65.9%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	6,345	75.9%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7)b	179	0.7%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	115	64.3%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	64	35.8%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	4,560	54.2%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	4,306	17.2%	29,732	16.9%
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Ages 5-17 (11)	3,000	16.7%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$26,678.00	88.9%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	4,336	17.3%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	1,757	7.0%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	1,577	17.6%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	3,877	43.2%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	4,313	52.0%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	3,690	15.3%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	59	4.5%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	12	0.9%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	11	1.2%	84	1.4%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 (17)	44	3.4%	357	4.2%

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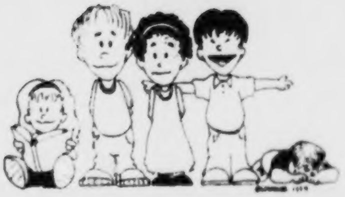

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EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$4,427.24	101.1%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	17,242.63	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	159	3.0%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	355	62.6%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	169	47.6%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	86	24.2%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21c)	100	28.2%	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	2,075	12.2%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	195	9.4%	1,392	11.1%
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Ages 18-21 (23)	102	4.9%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	99	4.8%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	839	40.4%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	890	42.9%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	114	5.5%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	21.2	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	644	48.5%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	270	47.8%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	263	55.1%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect (24)	54	37.0%	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse (24)	57	31.6%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	236	7.2%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	163	4.9%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	3,814	10.7%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	812	2.3%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27)(d)	460	3.8%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	71	5.5%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29)(e)	706	8.8%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	298	42.2%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	46	6.5%	509	6.3%
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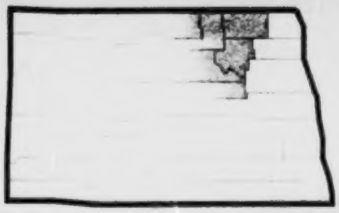

Region III

County Seat:	**N/A**
State Population Rank:	**6**
Land Area:	**6,623.9**
Number of Households:	**16,368**
Number of Families:	**11,647**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	REGION III	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	44,986	7.0%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	4,450	32.3%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	9,312	67.7%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3)a	15,056	33.5%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	8,646	57.4%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	35	0.2%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	6,346	42.2%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	29	0.2%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4)a	79	0.5%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	3,422	24.3%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	5,997	67.5%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	2,865	59.5%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	3,132	74.7%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7)b	251	1.7%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	216	86.1%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	35	13.9%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	6,036	62.7%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	4,720	33.6%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	1,605	41.7%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	3,115	30.6%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$24,749.00	82.4%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	2,224	15.9%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	2,616	18.7%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	703	7.8%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	4,418	49.3%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	5,873	61.4%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	2,909	12.0%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	33	5.1%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	7	1.1%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	5	1.0%	84	1.4%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 (17)	51	7.9%	357	4.2%

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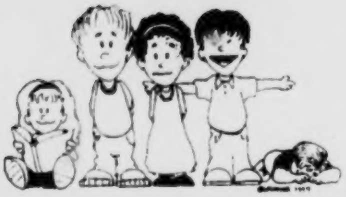

	REGION III	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$4,682.29	108.5%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	9,133.75	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	153	5.2%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	527	82.3%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	0	0.0%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	97	18.4%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21c)	430	81.6%	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	945	10.6%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	114	12.1%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	395	41.8%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	374	39.6%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	62	6.6%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	37	3.9%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	275	29.1%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	452	47.8%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	96	10.2%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	20.3	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	279	46.6%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	101	39.6%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	125	56.8%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect (24)	32	37.5%	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse (24)	21	33.3%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	80	2.4%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	221	6.7%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	1,325	3.7%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	1,009	2.8%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27d)	208	3.0%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	113	17.4%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29e)	667	8.3%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	272	40.8%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	40	6.0%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	156	23.4%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31f)	94	19.5%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	34	52.9%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 (33)	193	7.7%	780	2.1%

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Region IV

County Seat:	**N/A**
State Population Rank:	**3**
Land Area:	**4,820.4**
Number of Households:	**35,726**
Number of Families:	**24,062**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	REGION IV	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	97,524	15.2%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	8,331	32.2%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	17,562	67.8%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3)a	28,994	30.0%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	27,331	94.3%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	577	2.0%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	709	2.5%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	377	1.3%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4)a	745	2.6%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	3,678	14.3%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	12,931	73.4%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	6,894	68.9%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	6,037	78.6%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7)b	196	0.7%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	151	77.0%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	45	23.0%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	4,297	54.9%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	3,445	13.3%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	1,218	15.5%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	2,227	12.4%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$29,655.00	98.8%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	3,338	12.9%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	1,204	4.7%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	1,468	16.4%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	3,216	35.9%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	4,224	53.2%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	4,542	18.8%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	74	5.3%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	5	0.4%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	8	1.0%	84	1.4%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 (17)	33	2.4%	357	4.2%

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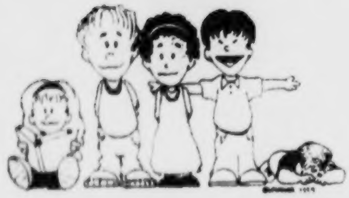

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EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$4,497.98	102.7%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	17,883.75	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	60	1.2%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	277	49.6%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	252	91.0%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	25	9.0%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21c)	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	1,921	10.9%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	247	12.9%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	881	45.9%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	708	36.9%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	85	4.4%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	137	7.1%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	597	31.1%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	837	43.6%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	145	7.6%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	21.6	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	828	50.4%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	202	39.1%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	462	53.9%	2,034	47.5%
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Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	297	9.0%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	149	4.5%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	4,944	13.9%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	745	2.1%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27d)	340	2.6%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	80	5.7%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29e)	1,277	15.8%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	530	41.5%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	89	7.0%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	398	31.2%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31f)	178	10.1%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	54	31.5%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 (33)	100	1.6%	780	2.1%

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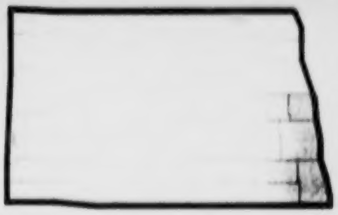

Region V

County Seat: N/A
State Population Rank: 1
Land Area: 6,498.5
Number of Households: 58,462
Number of Families: 37,699

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	REGION V	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	151,075	23.6%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	11,717	30.9%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	26,214	69.1%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3)a	42,421	28.4%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	40,929	96.5%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	159	0.4%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	816	1.9%	13,613	7.1%
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Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4)a	452	1.1%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	4,783	13.2%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	18,075	78.0%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	9,050	73.5%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	9,025	82.5%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7)b	312	0.8%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	213	68.3%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	99	31.7%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	6,558	53.7%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	3,960	10.9%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	1,333	13.0%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	2,627	10.1%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$33,175.00	110.5%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	3,277	9.0%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	1,767	4.9%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	1,652	18.4%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	3,472	38.7%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	6,514	51.3%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	4,426	18.3%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	129	6.4%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	10	0.5%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	21	1.8%	84	1.4%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 (17)	81	4.0%	357	4.2%

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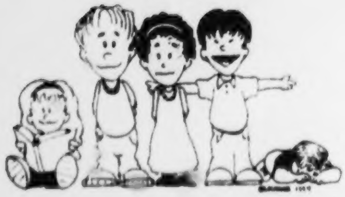

	REGION V	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$4,245.72	97.0%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	26,343.07	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	185	2.3%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	276	67.8%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	271	98.2%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	5	1.8%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21)c	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	2,503	9.6%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	289	11.6%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	1,086	43.4%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	998	39.9%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	130	5.2%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	257	10.3%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	708	28.3%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	1,051	42.0%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	220	8.8%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	22.1	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	1,308	32.0%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	464	31.7%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	534	37.3%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect (24)	177	22.6%	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse (24)	133	24.8%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	551	16.7%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	261	7.9%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	8,479	23.8%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	1,292	3.6%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27)d	729	3.8%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	105	5.2%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29)e	1,597	19.8%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	585	36.6%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	124	7.8%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	609	38.1%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31)f	304	18.3%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	80	22.5%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 (33)	119	1.4%	780	2.1%

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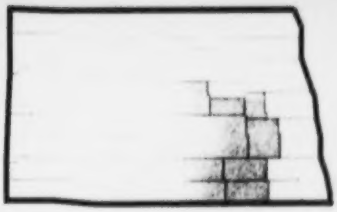

Region VI

County Seat: N/A
State Population Rank: 5
Land Area: 10,574.8
Number of Households: 24,575
Number of Families: 16,983

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	REGION VI	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	62,608	9.8%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	4,415	28.7%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	10,960	71.3%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	17,066	26.9%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	16,822	98.6%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	63	0.4%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	100	0.6%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	81	0.5%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	103	0.6%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	1,921	11.4%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	7,927	76.7%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	3,385	69.7%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	4,542	81.9%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	110	0.7%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	77	70.0%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	33	30.0%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	2,857	47.3%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	3,470	20.5%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	958	22.7%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	2,512	19.7%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$25,925.00	86.4%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	2,356	13.9%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	1,339	7.9%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	814	9.1%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	2,688	30.0%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	2,771	44.6%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	2,282	9.4%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	25	3.7%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	4	0.6%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	9	1.1%	84	1.4%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 (17)	27	4.0%	357	4.2%

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13 - percentage of total reduced-price lunches in ND
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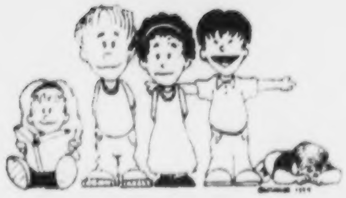

	REGION VI	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$4,246.56	97.0%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	11,643.79	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	57	1.5%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	209	83.6%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	118	56.5%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	91	43.5%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21)c	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	1,198	10.4%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	99	8.3%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	574	47.9%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	473	39.5%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	52	4.3%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	42	3.5%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	347	29.0%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	556	46.4%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	130	10.9%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	20.9	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	268	40.7%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	104	32.7%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	98	57.1%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect (24)	34	32.4%	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse (24)	32	25.0%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	209	6.3%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	95	2.9%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	2,798	7.8%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	475	1.3%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27)d	270	3.5%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	59	8.7%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29)e	751	9.3%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	344	45.8%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	26	3.5%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	188	25.0%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31)f	159	20.4%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	48	27.1%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 (33)	108	3.1%	780	2.1%

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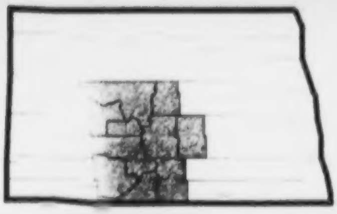

Region VII

County Seat: N/A
State Population Rank: 2
Land Area: 14,026.2
Number of Households: 47,309
Number of Families: 34,114

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	REGION VII	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	127,663	19.9%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	10,578	29.8%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	24,873	70.2%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	39,123	30.9%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	35,694	91.2%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	57	0.2%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	3,170	8.1%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	202	0.5%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	321	0.8%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	4,944	13.7%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	17,299	76.4%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	7,975	70.4%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	9,324	81.5%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	395	1.1%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	214	54.2%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	181	45.8%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	7,073	55.3%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	5,793	16.0%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	1,807	19.5%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	3,986	14.8%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$34,542.00	115.1%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	3,848	10.6%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	2,537	7.0%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	1,603	17.9%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	5,192	57.9%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	7,027	54.2%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	3,669	15.2%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	87	5.4%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	19	1.2%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	23	2.2%	84	1.4%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 (17)	77	4.8%	357	4.2%

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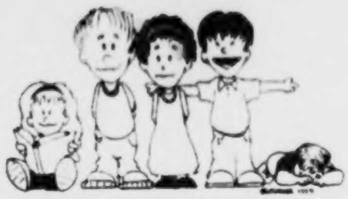

	REGION VII	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$4,096.19	93.6%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	24,830.93	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	201	2.4%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	478	59.8%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	287	60.0%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	23	4.8%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21)c	168	35.2%	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	2,645	11.0%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	302	11.4%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	1,198	45.3%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	1,029	38.9%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	116	4.4%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	67	2.5%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	928	35.1%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	1,184	44.8%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	229	8.7%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	20.8	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	807	39.2%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	238	37.8%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	361	40.4%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect (24)	153	43.1%	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse (24)	55	25.5%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	384	11.6%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	297	9.0%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	5,151	14.4%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	1,399	3.9%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27)d	821	4.6%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	136	8.4%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29)e	2,202	27.3%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	1,035	47.0%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	147	6.7%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	608	27.6%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31)f	402	17.0%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	74	20.3%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 (33)	129	1.8%	780	2.1%

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f - Excludes 206 liquor law violations where the county of arrest was unknown

N/A - Data are not available or not applicable

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Region VIII

County Seat:	**N/A**
State Population Rank:	**7**
Land Area:	**10,002.2**
Number of Households:	**14,635**
Number of Families:	**10,405**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	REGION VIII	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	39,006	6.1%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	3,294	29.6%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	7,826	70.4%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	12,244	30.8%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	11,884	97.1%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	10	0.1%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	289	2.4%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	61	0.5%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	102	0.8%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	1,347	11.2%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	5,720	72.1%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	2,667	68.9%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	3,053	74.9%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	95	0.8%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	62	65.3%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	33	34.7%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	2,044	52.9%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	2,254	18.7%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	585	18.9%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	1,669	18.6%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$28,603.00	95.3%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	1,779	14.7%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	907	7.5%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	736	8.2%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	2,159	24.1%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	1,924	50.1%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	1,643	6.8%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	25	5.4%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	2	0.4%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	3	0.8%	84	1.4%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 (17)	21	4.6%	357	4.2%

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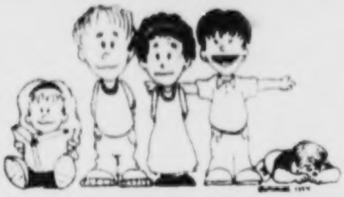

	REGION VIII	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$4,694.11	107.2%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	7,421.51	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	30	1.1%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	147	75.8%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	88	59.9%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	48	32.7%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21)c	11	7.5%	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	672	9.2%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	71	10.6%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	277	41.2%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	286	42.6%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	38	5.7%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	16	2.4%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	233	34.7%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	289	43.0%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	39	5.8%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	21.0	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	255	59.6%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	80	51.3%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	103	60.2%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect (24)	53	69.8%	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse (24)	19	63.2%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	157	4.8%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	46	1.4%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	1,844	5.2%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	224	0.6%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27)d	275	5.0%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	30	6.5%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29)e	583	7.2%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	258	44.3%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	22	3.8%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	159	27.3%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31)f	127	22.6%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	31	61.3%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 (33)	39	1.8%	780	2.1%

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e - unduplicated count = 464 juveniles

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North Dakota

Adams County

County Seat:	**Hettinger**
State Population Rank:	**44**
Land Area:	**988.0**
Number of Households:	**1,034**
Number of Families:	**709**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	ADAMS	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	2,593	0.4%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	196	29.3%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	473	70.7%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	733	26.6%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	727	99.2%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	0	0.0%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	6	0.8%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	0	0.0%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	0	0.0%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	81	9.8%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	380	79.0%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	148	79.1%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	232	78.9%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	2	0.3%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	1	50.0%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	1	50.0%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	116	47.2%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	116	14.1%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	47	22.0%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	69	11.3%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$28,451.00	94.8%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	119	14.5%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	16	1.9%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	40	0.5%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	120	0.3%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	101	44.5%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	118	0.5%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	1	4.0%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	0	0.0%	84	1.4%
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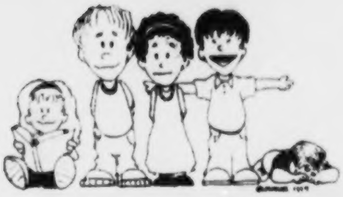

	ADAMS	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$4,805.90	109.8%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	543.17	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	1	0.6%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	10	83.3%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	0	0.0%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	10	100.0%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21)c	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	53	10.1%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	2	3.8%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	17	32.1%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	31	58.5%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	3	5.7%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	0	0.0%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	19	35.9%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	25	47.2%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	0	0.0%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	20.8	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	8	87.5%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	3	66.7%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	4	100.0%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect (24)	1	100.0%	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse (24)	0	0.0%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	8	0.2%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	4	0.1%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	132	0.4%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	20	0.1%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27)d	N/A	N/A	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	0	0.0%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29)e	36	0.5%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	12	33.3%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	3	8.3%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	17	47.2%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31)f	11	52.4%	1,506	16.4%
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North Dakota

Barnes County

County Seat:	**Valley City**
State Population Rank:	**13**
Land Area:	**1,491.8**
Number of Households:	**4,782**
Number of Families:	**3,203**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	BARNES	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	12,042	1.9%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	844	28.8%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	2,085	71.2%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	3,291	27.2%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	3,237	98.4%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	14	0.4%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	21	0.6%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	19	0.6%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	19	0.6%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	416	13.5%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	1,467	74.1%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	640	67.2%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	827	79.4%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	29	0.9%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	22	75.9%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	7	24.1%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	639	53.0%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	703	22.5%	29,732	16.9%
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Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$26,404.00	88.0%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	398	12.7%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	289	9.3%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	133	1.5%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	473	1.3%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	536	47.0%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	411	1.7%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	3	2.3%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	1	0.8%	61	0.7%
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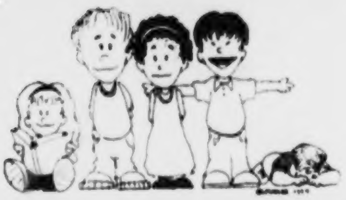

	BARNES	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$3,981.74	90.9%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	2158.83	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	10	1.5%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	57	98.3%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	50	87.7%	1,285	53.5%
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Reservation Based (21c)	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	222	10.5%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	22	9.9%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	102	46.0%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	86	38.7%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	12	5.4%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	1	0.5%	691	5.5%
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TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	6	4.7%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29e)	198	2.5%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	86	43.4%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	6	3.0%	509	6.3%
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Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31f)	48	26.0%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	10	10.0%	403	31.3%
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North Dakota

Benson County

County Seat: Minnewaukan
State Population Rank: 19
Land Area: 1,388.6
Number of Households: 2,343
Number of Families: 1,774

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	BENSON	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	6,990	1.1%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	828	34.5%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	1,574	65.5%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	2,617	37.4%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	1,081	41.3%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	0	0.0%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	1,534	58.6%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	2	0.1%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	15	0.6%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	756	30.2%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	938	58.0%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	436	44.7%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	502	69.5%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	61	2.4%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	55	90.2%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	6	9.8%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	1,397	69.0%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	1,022	41.0%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	369	52.3%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	653	36.5%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$17,221.00	57.4%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	507	20.3%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	543	21.8%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	109	1.2%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	780	2.2%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	1,318	67.7%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	71	0.3%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	6	6.2%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	1	1.3%	84	1.4%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 (17)	11	11.3%	357	4.2%

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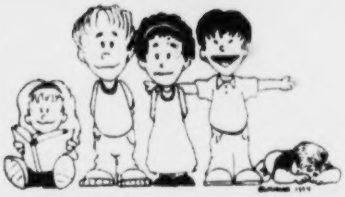

EDUCATION

	BENSON	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year [19]	$5,427.95	124.0%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	1,062.70	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	45	11.1%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 [20]	120	77.4%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based [21]	0	0.0%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based [21]	31	25.8%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based [21c]	89	74.2%	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 [22]	155	14.2%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 [23]	23	14.8%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 [23]	50	32.3%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 [23]	72	46.5%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 [23]	10	6.5%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed [23]	3	1.9%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired [23]	35	22.6%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability [23]	78	50.3%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped [23]	26	16.8%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	19.4	N/A	21.2	N/A

CHILD SAFETY

	BENSON	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 [24]	22	22.7%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse [24]	8	0.0%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect [24]	6	33.3%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect [24]	3	33.3%	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse [24]	5	40.0%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 [25]	9	0.3%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 [25]	38	1.2%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 [26]	194	0.5%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 [26]	126	0.4%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 [27d]	19	1.6%	3,282	3.8%

TEENS AT RISK

	BENSON	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 [28]	21	21.7%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) [29e]	41	0.5%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior [30]	22	53.7%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person [30]	0	0.0%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property [30]	11	26.8%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 [31f]	2	66.7%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 [32]	5	60.0%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 [33]	50	12.0%	780	2.1%

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North Dakota

Billings County

County Seat: Medora
State Population Rank: 52
Land Area: 1,151.5
Number of Households: 405
Number of Families: 318

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	BILLINGS	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	1,157	0.2%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	96	27.6%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	252	72.4%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	382	33.4%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	382	100.0%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	0	0.0%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	0	0.0%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	0	0.0%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	0	0.0%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	12	3.3%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	168	50.6%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	73	49.3%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	95	51.6%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	2	0.6%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	2	100.0%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	0	0.0%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	27	64.3%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	122	33.7%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	15	17.9%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	107	38.5%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$28,542.00	95.1%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	38	10.5%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	32	8.8%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	10	0.1%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	38	0.1%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	29	70.7%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	0	0.0%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	1	9.1%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	61	0.7%
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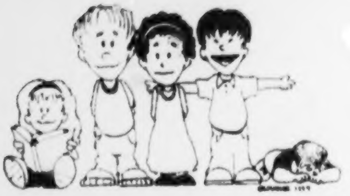

	BILLINGS	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$13,566.46	309.9%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	128.55	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	0	0.0%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	1	100.0%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	0	0.0%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	1	100.0%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21)c	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	16	13.7%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	1	6.3%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	10	62.5%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	5	31.3%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	0	0.0%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	0	0.0%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	6	37.5%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	8	50.0%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	2	12.5%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	N/A	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	0	0.0%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	0	0.0%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	0	0.0%	2,034	47.5%
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Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27)d	N/A	N/A	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	1	9.1%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29)e	4	0.1%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	1	25.0%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	0	0.0%	509	6.3%
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North Dakota

Bottineau County

County Seat:	**Bottineau**
State Population Rank:	**18**
Land Area:	**1,668.7**
Number of Households:	**2,989**
Number of Families:	**2,093**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	BOTTINEAU	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	7,706	1.2%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	513	26.6%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	1,415	73.4%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3)a	2,176	28.2%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	2,145	98.6%	173,838	91.2%
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Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	8	0.4%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4)a	16	0.7%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	230	11.1%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	987	77.2%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	399	70.2%	40,947	69.1%
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Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$29,295.00	97.6%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	385	18.9%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	103	5.1%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	106	1.2%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	274	0.8%	26,350	100.0%
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Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	61	0.7%
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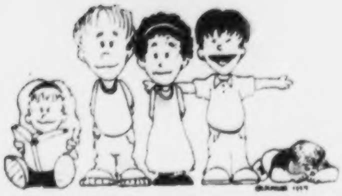

	BOTTINEAU	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year [19]	$4,607.81	105.2%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	1,411.65	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	5	1.2%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 [20]	9	47.4%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based [21]	0	0.0%	1,285	53.5%
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Reservation Based [21c]	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 [22]	197	14.7%	12,578	10.6%
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Ages 6-11 [23]	86	43.7%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 [23]	81	41.1%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 [23]	13	6.6%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed [23]	1	0.5%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired [23]	82	41.6%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability [23]	98	49.8%	5,542	44.1%
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Reports of Sexual Abuse [24]	2	50.0%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 [25]	25	0.8%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 [25]	11	0.3%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 [26]	279	0.8%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 [26]	55	0.2%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 [27d]	10	1.0%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 [28]	3	5.0%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) [29e]	56	0.7%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior [30]	30	53.6%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person [30]	2	3.6%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property [30]	9	16.1%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 [31f]	0	0.0%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 [32]	7	42.9%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 [33]	8	1.4%	780	2.1%

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f - Excludes 206 liquor law violations where the county of arrest was unknown

N/A - Data are not available or not applicable

North Dakota

Bowman County

County Seat:	**Bowman**
State Population Rank:	**37**
Land Area:	**1,162.1**
Number of Households:	**1,277**
Number of Families:	**887**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	BOWMAN	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	3,229	0.5%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	237	28.1%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	606	71.9%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	929	28.6%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	929	100.0%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	0	0.0%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	0	0.0%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	0	0.0%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	6	0.7%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	99	9.8%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	500	84.4%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	213	85.0%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	287	84.0%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	3	0.3%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	1	33.3%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	2	66.7%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	81	41.1%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	203	20.1%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	27	11.6%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	176	22.6%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$27,500.00	91.6%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	126	12.5%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	85	8.4%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	39	0.4%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	171	0.5%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	83	40.7%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	136	0.6%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	1	2.1%	84	1.4%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 (17)	1	3.7%	357	4.2%

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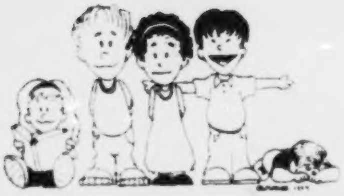

	BOWMAN	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$5,142.67	117.5%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	756.16	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	1	0.4%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	4	66.7%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	0	0.0%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	4	100.0%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21)	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	59	7.8%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	7	11.9%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	25	42.4%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	25	42.4%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	2	3.4%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	1	1.7%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	23	39.0%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	25	42.4%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	4	6.8%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	20.7	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	9	44.4%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	4	75.0%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	2	0.0%	2,034	47.5%
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Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	6	0.2%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	1	0.0%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	53	0.2%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	5	0.1%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27)d	14	3.3%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	0	0.0%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29)e	30	0.4%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	20	66.7%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	0	0.0%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	3	10.0%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31)f	0	0.0%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	3	66.7%	403	31.3%
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North Dakota

Burke County

County Seat:	**Bowbells**
State Population Rank:	**46**
Land Area:	**1,103.6**
Number of Households:	**1,045**
Number of Families:	**719**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	BURKE	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	2,501	0.4%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	140	23.7%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	450	76.3%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	652	25.3%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	638	97.9%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	0	0.0%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	7	1.1%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	7	1.1%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	11	1.7%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	74	10.0%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	337	62.9%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	122	59.8%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	215	64.7%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	6	1.0%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	6	100.0%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	0	0.0%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	93	52.5%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	163	21.9%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	50	36.2%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	113	18.7%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$23,021.00	76.7%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	181	24.3%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	89	12.0%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	33	0.4%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	117	0.3%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	87	49.2%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	38	0.2%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	1	4.4%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	1	4.4%	61	0.7%
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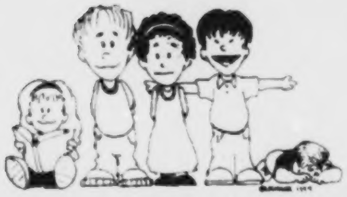

	BURKE	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$5,261.48	120.2%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	514.45	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	1	0.5%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	N/A	N/A	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	N/A	N/A	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	N/A	N/A	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21c)	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	56	11.5%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	2	3.6%	1,392	11.1%
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CHILD SAFETY				
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TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	1	4.4%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29e)	6	0.1%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	3	50.0%	3,464	42.9%
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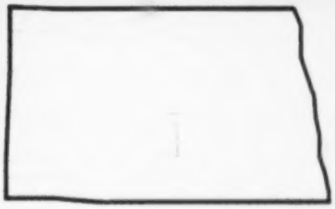

Burleigh County

County Seat:	**Bismarck**
State Population Rank:	**3**
Land Area:	**1,633.2**
Number of Households:	**24,419**
Number of Families:	**17,043**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

POPULATION

	BURLEIGH	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Total Population, 1995 (1)	64,807	10.1%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	5,307	30.6%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	12,061	69.4%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	19,252	30.1%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	18,197	94.5%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	30	0.2%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	884	4.6%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	141	0.7%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	195	1.0%	2,348	1.2%

FAMILY COMPOSITION

	BURLEIGH	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	2,632	15.7%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	8,516	81.3%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	4,000	76.0%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	4,516	86.0%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	249	1.4%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	137	55.0%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	112	45.0%	524	32.1%

ECONOMIC CONDITION

	BURLEIGH	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	3,177	53.6%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	1,977	11.8%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	729	16.3%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	1,248	10.2%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$36,119.00	120.3%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	1,284	7.7%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	836	5.0%	12,788	7.3%

CHILD HEALTH

	BURLEIGH	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	617	6.9%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	1,505	4.3%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	3,220	52.8%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	1,906	7.9%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	46	5.3%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	10	1.2%	61	0.7%
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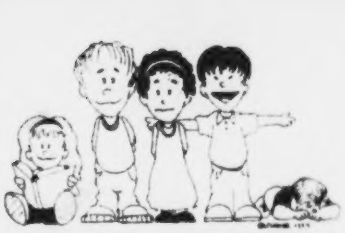

	BURLEIGH	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year [19]	$3,870.10	88.4%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	11,601.71	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	79	2.0%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 [20]	189	42.0%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based [21]	169	89.4%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based [21]	20	10.6%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based [21c]	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 [22]	1,113	9.9%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 [23]	91	8.2%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 [23]	536	48.2%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 [23]	430	38.6%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 [23]	56	5.0%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed [23]	28	2.5%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired [23]	301	27.0%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability [23]	542	48.7%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped [23]	118	10.6%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	21.2	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 [24]	510	40.6%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse [24]	139	38.1%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect [24]	236	43.6%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect [24]	106	42.5%	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse [24]	29	20.7%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 [25]	236	7.2%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 [25]	140	4.2%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 [26]	3,335	9.4%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 [26]	700	2.0%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 [27d]	423	4.9%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 [28]	60	6.9%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) [29e]	1,357	16.8%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior [30]	646	47.6%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person [30]	87	6.4%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property [30]	361	26.6%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 [31f]	295	16.6%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 [32]	30	13.3%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 [33]	35	1.0%	780	2.1%

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North Dakota

Cass County

County Seat: Fargo
State Population Rank: 1
Land Area: 1,765.7
Number of Households: 43,636
Number of Families: 27,348

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	CASS	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	111,440	17.4%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	8,802	31.9%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	18,776	68.1%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	30,848	28.1%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	29,769	96.5%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	142	0.5%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	485	1.6%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	452	1.5%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	352	1.1%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	3,779	14.7%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	13,236	79.7%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	6,786	75.1%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	6,450	84.6%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	262	0.9%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	182	69.5%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	80	30.5%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	4,909	54.3%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	2,561	10.0%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	905	11.9%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	1,656	9.2%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$35,293.00	117.6%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	1,941	7.6%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	1,143	4.5%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	1,136	12.7%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	2,258	6.4%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	4,860	51.7%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	3,278	13.6%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	99	6.2%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	8	0.5%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	12	1.6%	84	1.4%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 (17)	55	3.5%	357	4.2%

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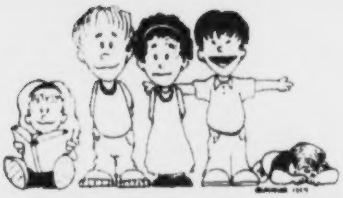

	CASS	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$4,358.18	99.5%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	18,494.24	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	155	2.8%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	175	80.3%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	175	100.0%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	0	0.0%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21)c	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	1,753	9.5%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	218	12.4%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	764	43.6%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	675	38.5%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	96	5.5%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	218	12.4%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	491	28.0%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	684	39.0%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	177	10.1%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	22.9	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	1,094	29.8%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	362	28.7%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	450	35.3%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect (24)	163	22.1%	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse (24)	119	22.7%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	434	13.1%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	210	6.4%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	6,938	19.5%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	1,043	2.9%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27)d	495	3.6%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	74	4.7%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29)e	1,315	16.3%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	456	34.7%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	101	7.7%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	514	39.1%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31)f	211	15.9%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	52	17.3%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 (33)	100	1.6%	780	2.1%

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North Dakota

Cavalier County

County Seat:	**Langdon**
State Population Rank:	**25**
Land Area:	**1,489.1**
Number of Households:	**2,146**
Number of Families:	**1,512**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	CAVALIER	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	5,474	0.9%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	426	30.0%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	995	70.0%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	1,561	27.6%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	1,541	98.7%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	3	0.2%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	16	1.0%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	1	0.1%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	3	0.2%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	84	5.1%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	772	64.2%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	397	59.4%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	375	69.3%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	4	0.3%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	3	75.0%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	1	25.0%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	155	44.8%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	289	17.6%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	90	21.1%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	199	16.4%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$26,935.00	89.7%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	332	20.2%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	138	8.4%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	123	1.4%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	185	0.5%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	137	41.8%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	189	0.8%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	2	4.7%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	61	0.7%
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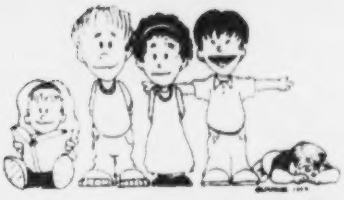

	CAVALIER	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year [19]	$5,444.20	124.3%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	937.63	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	4	1.2%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 [20]	10	62.5%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based [21]	0	0.0%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based [21]	10	100.0%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based [21]	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 [22]	89	9.6%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 [23]	7	7.8%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 [23]	38	42.7%	5,543	44.1%
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TEENS AT RISK				
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Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) [29,e]	21	0.3%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior [30]	18	85.7%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person [30]	0	0.0%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property [30]	3	14.3%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 [31,f]	0	0.0%	1,506	16.4%
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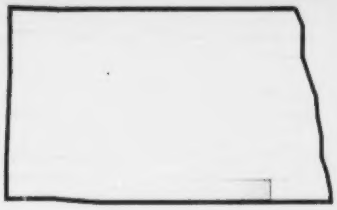

Dickey County

County Seat:	**Ellendale**
State Population Rank:	**24**
Land Area:	**1,131.1**
Number of Households:	**2,177**
Number of Families:	**1,531**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	DICKEY	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	5,775	0.9%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	375	26.1%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	1,060	73.9%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	1,617	27.5%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	1,597	98.8%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	1	0.1%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	9	0.6%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	10	0.6%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	22	1.4%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	162	10.6%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	697	73.2%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	303	60.1%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	394	83.2%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	14	0.9%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	10	71.4%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	4	28.6%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	289	45.9%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	364	24.2%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	94	26.5%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	270	23.5%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$27,500.00	91.6%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	157	10.4%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	173	11.5%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	66	0.7%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	216	0.6%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	316	46.9%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	151	0.6%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	3	4.4%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	1	1.2%	84	1.4%
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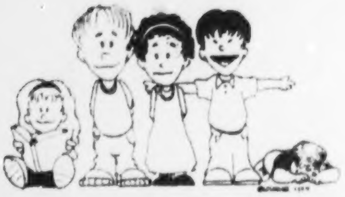

EDUCATION

	DICKEY	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$3,823.21	87.3%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	1,009.24	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	3	1.0%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	14	100.0%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	0	0.0%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	14	100.0%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21)c	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	113	11.2%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	8	7.1%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	57	50.4%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	40	35.4%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	8	7.1%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	6	5.3%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	34	30.1%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	51	45.1%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	14	12.4%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	21.2	N/A	21.2	N/A

CHILD SAFETY

	DICKEY	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	28	71.4%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	9	55.6%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	11	81.8%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect (24)	4	100.0%	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse (24)	4	50.0%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	19	0.6%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	10	0.3%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	248	0.7%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	50	0.1%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27)d	77	10.7%	3,282	3.8%

TEENS AT RISK

	DICKEY	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	3	4.4%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29)e	59	0.7%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	28	47.5%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	1	1.7%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	17	28.8%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31)f	14	77.8%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	4	25.0%	403	31.3%
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North Dakota

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Divide County

County Seat:	**Crosby**
State Population Rank:	**45**
Land Area:	**1,259.4**
Number of Households:	**1,054**
Number of Families:	**734**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	DIVIDE	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	2,558	0.4%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	174	30.3%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	401	69.7%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	622	23.8%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	613	98.6%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	1	0.2%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	6	1.0%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	2	0.3%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	6	1.0%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single,Parent Families, 1990 (5)	81	11.7%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	313	79.2%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	142	83.1%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	171	76.0%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	4	0.7%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	3	75.0%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	1	25.0%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	78	38.4%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	127	18.3%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	38	23.9%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	89	16.6%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$25,227.00	84.0%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	128	18.4%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	18	2.6%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	32	0.4%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	92	0.3%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	91	42.3%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	29	0.1%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	61	0.7%
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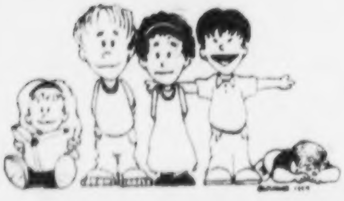

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EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$4,485.48	102.5%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	458.48	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	0	0.0%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	N/A	N/A	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	N/A	N/A	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	N/A	N/A	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21c)	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	23	5.0%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	5	21.7%	1,392	11.1%
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Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	21.3	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	9	77.8%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	3	66.7%	1,555	39.1%
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Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	72	0.2%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	20	0.1%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27d)	1	0.4%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	1	8.3%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29e)	10	0.1%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	5	50.0%	3,464	42.9%
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North Dakota

Dunn County

County Seat:	**Manning**
State Population Rank:	**34**
Land Area:	**2,010.0**
Number of Households:	**1,357**
Number of Families:	**1,017**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	DUNN	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	3,790	0.6%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	347	30.8%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	780	69.2%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3)a	1,222	32.0%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	1,045	85.5%	173,838	91.2%
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Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	1	3.0%	449	5.3%
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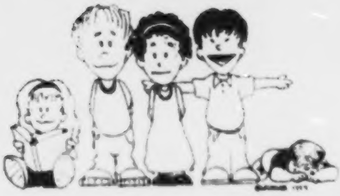

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North Dakota

kids count north dakota

Eddy County

County Seat:	**New Rockford**
State Population Rank:	**42**
Land Area:	**632.1**
Number of Households:	**1,153**
Number of Families:	**774**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	EDDY	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	2,851	0.4%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	180	26.8%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	492	73.2%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	732	25.6%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	718	98.1%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	0	0.0%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	13	1.8%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	1	0.1%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	3	0.4%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	82	11.1%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	361	77.3%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	147	75.5%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	214	78.5%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	1	0.1%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	1	100.0%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	0	0.0%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	148	43.2%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	73	9.9%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	20	11.6%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	53	9.4%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$25,607.00	85.3%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	141	19.1%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	37	5.0%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	46	0.5%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	163	0.5%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	140	40.8%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	87	0.4%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	3	10.3%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	0	0.0%	84	1.4%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	357	4.2%

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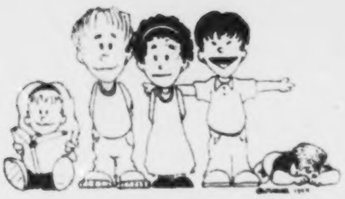

EDUCATION

	EDDY	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$4,079.73	93.2%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	595.17	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	2	1.0%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	2	100.0%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	0	0.0%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	2	100.0%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21)c	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	81	13.3%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	14	17.3%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	28	34.6%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	34	42.0%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	5	6.2%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	0	0.0%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	25	30.9%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	40	49.4%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	5	6.2%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	21.1	N/A	21.2	N/A

CHILD SAFETY

	EDDY	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	8	25.0%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	3	0.0%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	3	66.7%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect (24)	0	0.0%	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse (24)	2	0.0%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	9	0.3%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	4	0.1%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	100	0.3%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	20	0.1%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27)d	5	1.5%	3,282	3.8%

TEENS AT RISK

	EDDY	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	2	6.9%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29)e	42	0.5%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	20	47.6%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	3	7.1%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	11	26.2%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31)f	0	0.0%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	2	100.0%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 (33)	6	4.5%	780	2.1%

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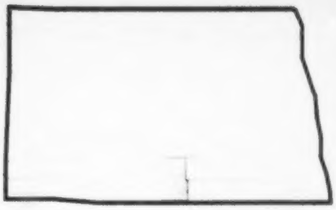

Emmons County

County Seat: Linton
State Population Rank: 29
Land Area: 1,510.0
Number of Households: 1,744
Number of Families: 1,301
Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	EMMONS	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	4,564	0.7%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	317	28.7%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	787	71.3%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3)a	1,224	26.8%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	1,218	99.5%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	0	0.0%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	3	0.3%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	3	0.3%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4)a	5	0.4%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	71	5.7%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	569	68.7%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	248	67.3%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	321	69.8%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7)b	3	0.3%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	2	66.7%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	1	33.3%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	106	39.7%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	353	28.5%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	79	25.1%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	274	29.6%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$22,097.00	73.6%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	177	14.3%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	171	13.8%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	97	1.1%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	249	0.7%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	103	41.7%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	206	0.9%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	3	4.8%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	1	1.6%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	1	1.5%	84	1.4%
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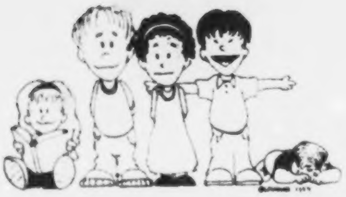

	EMMONS	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$5,006.61	114.4%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	823.12	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	1	0.4%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	18	72.0%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	18	100.0%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	0	0.0%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21)c	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	111	13.8%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	11	9.9%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	51	46.0%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	45	40.5%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	4	3.6%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	1	0.9%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	35	31.5%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	65	58.6%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	5	4.5%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	20.0	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	8	25.0%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	1	100.0%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	7	14.3%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect (24)	0	0.0%	633	40.4%
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Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	14	0.4%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	6	0.2%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	152	0.4%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	30	0.1%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27)d	6	1.1%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	6	9.7%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29)e	43	0.5%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	23	53.5%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	0	0.0%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	8	18.6%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31)f	9	56.3%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	5	60.0%	403	31.3%
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North Dakota

Foster County

County Seat:	**Carrington**
State Population Rank:	**33**
Land Area:	**635.3**
Number of Households:	**1,506**
Number of Families:	**1,078**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	FOSTER	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	3,892	0.6%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	304	30.5%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	694	69.5%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	1,100	28.3%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	1,087	98.8%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	0	0.0%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	12	1.1%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	1	0.1%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	7	0.6%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	104	9.5%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	495	76.2%	84,631	74.4%
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Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	2	0.2%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	0	0.0%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	2	100.0%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	176	50.1%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	253	22.9%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	63	22.8%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	190	23.0%	20,410	16.0%
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Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	97	8.8%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	50	0.6%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	97	0.3%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	169	47.6%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	252	1.0%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	3	5.9%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	61	0.7%
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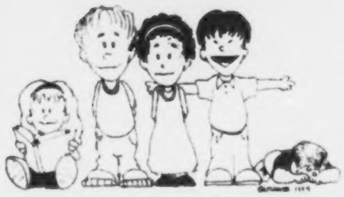

EDUCATION

	FOSTER	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$3,801.94	86.8%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	712.12	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	3	1.5%	907	2.4%
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Home Based (21)	4	100.0%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21)c	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	64	9.1%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	14	21.9%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	25	39.1%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	23	35.9%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	2	3.1%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	0	0.0%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	23	35.9%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	24	37.5%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	7	10.9%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	21.1	N/A	21.2	N/A

CHILD SAFETY

	FOSTER	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	16	12.5%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	8	0.0%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	6	16.7%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect (24)	2	50.0%	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse (24)	0	0.0%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	6	0.2%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	2	0.1%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	114	0.3%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	10	0.0%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27)d	11	2.2%	3,282	3.8%

TEENS AT RISK

	FOSTER	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	8	15.7%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29)e	59	0.7%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	35	59.3%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	0	0.0%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	12	20.3%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31)f	0	0.0%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	4	50.0%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 (33)	4	1.7%	780	2.1%

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North Dakota

Golden Valley County

County Seat:	**Beach**
State Population Rank:	**50**
Land Area:	**1,002**
Number of Households:	**755**
Number of Families:	**509**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	GOLDEN VALLEY	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	1,962	0.3%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	149	26.7%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	410	73.4%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3)a	621	31.9%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	613	98.7%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	0	0.0%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	6	1.0%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	2	0.3%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4)a	1	0.2%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	52	8.0%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	250	74.8%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	125	69.6%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	125	80.0%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7)b	3	0.5%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	1	33.3%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	2	66.7%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	86	62.3%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	113	17.3%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	29	21.5%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	84	16.2%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$27,875.00	92.9%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	95	14.5%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	65	9.9%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	59	0.7%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	299	0.9%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	73	60.8%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	81	0.3%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	3	9.1%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	0	0.0%	84	1.4%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 (17)	5	15.2%	357	4.2%

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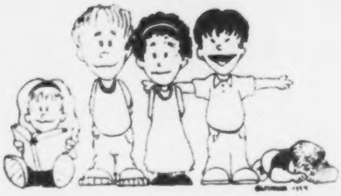

	GOLDEN VALLEY	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$5,601.16	127.9%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	490.51	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	1	0.5%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	6	85.7%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	0	0.0%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	6	100.0%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21c)	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	33	6.8%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	3	9.1%	1,392	11.1%
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Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	20.1	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	7	42.9%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	4	50.0%	1,555	39.1%
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Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27d)	3	1.1%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	2	6.1%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29e)	74	0.9%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	23	31.1%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	9	12.2%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	15	20.3%	2,394	29.7%
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Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	2	50.0%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 (33)	3	2.3%	780	2.1%

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North Dakota

Grand Forks County

County Seat:	**Grand Forks**
State Population Rank:	**2**
Land Area:	**1,437.9**
Number of Households:	**25,812**
Number of Families:	**17,139**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	GRAND FORKS	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	71,879	11.2%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	6,408	33.2%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	12,915	66.8%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3)a	21,799	30.7%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	20,299	93.1%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	564	2.6%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	596	2.7%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	340	1.6%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4)a	466	2.1%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	2,832	15.4%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	9,490	72.7%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	5,298	67.5%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	4,192	79.2%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7)b	154	0.8%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	122	79.2%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	32	20.8%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	3,072	57.0%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	2,289	12.4%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	925	15.4%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	1,364	11.0%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$29,925.00	99.7%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	2,318	12.6%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	757	4.1%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	1,060	11.8%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	2,154	6.1%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	3,029	55.1%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	3,394	14.0%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	62	5.6%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	4	0.4%	61	0.7%
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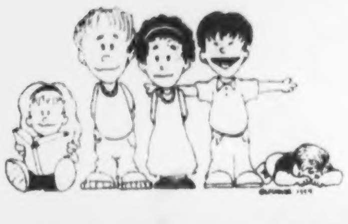

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EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year [19]	$4,498.94	102.8%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	12,374.84	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	44	1.3%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 [20]	201	48.7%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based [21]	201	100.0%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based [21]	0	0.0%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based [21c]	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 [22]	1,343	11.0%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 [23]	177	13.2%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 [23]	634	47.2%	5,543	44.1%
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Seriously Emotionally Disturbed [23]	115	8.6%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired [23]	412	30.7%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability [23]	573	42.7%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped [23]	96	7.2%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	22.0	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 [24]	652	49.1%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse [24]	161	37.3%	1,555	39.1%
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Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 [25]	229	6.9%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 [25]	111	3.4%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 [26]	3,963	11.1%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 [26]	555	1.6%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 [27d]	252	2.6%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 [28]	57	5.2%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) [29e]	973	12.1%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior [30]	408	41.9%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person [30]	64	6.6%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property [30]	304	31.2%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 [31f]	122	8.4%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 [32]	33	15.2%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 [33]	44	0.9%	780	2.1%

REGION IV

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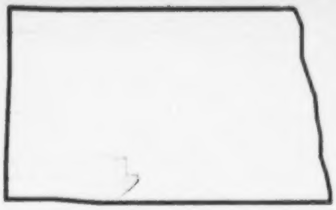

Grant County

County Seat:	**Carson**
State Population Rank:	**36**
Land Area:	**1,659.6**
Number of Households:	**1,254**
Number of Families:	**912**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	GRANT	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 [1]	3,235	0.5%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 [2]	222	27.9%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 [2]	575	72.2%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 [3a]	883	27.3%	190,575	29.9%
White [4]	866	98.1%	173,838	91.2%
Black [4]	1	0.1%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian [4]	14	1.6%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander [4]	2	0.2%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 [4a]	8	0.9%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 [5]	48	5.1%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) [6]	437	74.6%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) [6]	189	75.7%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) [6]	248	73.8%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 [7b]	6	0.7%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements [8]	6	100.0%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements [8]	0	0.0%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 [9]	89	40.5%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 [5]	290	30.3%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 [10]	54	23.8%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 [11]	236	32.4%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 [12]	$22,328.00	74.4%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 [5]	178	18.6%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 [5]	83	8.7%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year [13]	70	0.8%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year [14]	255	0.7%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 [15]	100	40.7%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 [16]	68	0.3%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 [17]	1	2.6%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 [17]	0	0.0%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 [18]	0	0.0%	84	1.4%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 [17]	3	7.7%	357	4.2%

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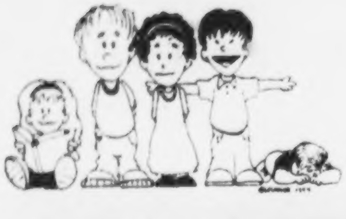

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EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$5,703.61	130.3%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	511.47	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	2	1.4%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	N/A	N/A	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	N/A	N/A	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	N/A	N/A	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21)	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	31	6.6%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	7	22.6%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	17	54.8%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	6	19.4%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	1	3.2%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	0	0.0%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	14	45.2%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	13	41.9%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	4	12.9%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	21.3	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	6	50.0%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	5	60.0%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	1	0.0%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect (24)	0	0.0%	633	40.4%
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Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	6	0.2%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	6	0.2%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	69	0.2%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	30	0.1%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27 d)	5	1.3%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	1	2.6%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29 e)	24	0.3%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	11	45.8%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	11	45.8%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	1	4.2%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31 f)	0	0.0%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	3	100.0%	403	31.3%
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North Dakota

Griggs County

County Seat: Cooperstown
State Population Rank: 39
Land Area: 708.5
Number of Households: 1,190
Number of Families: 874

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	GRIGGS	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	3,036	0.5%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	207	28.0%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	533	72.0%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	811	26.3%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	804	99.1%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	0	0.0%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	5	0.6%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	2	0.3%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	1	0.1%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	43	5.0%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	382	78.8%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	160	75.0%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	222	81.5%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7)b	1	0.1%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	0	0.0%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	1	100.0%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	142	50.7%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	200	23.3%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	51	25.3%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	149	22.8%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$24,076.00	80.2%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	171	20.0%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	60	7.0%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	66	0.7%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	161	0.5%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	148	49.5%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	136	0.6%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	1	3.1%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	2	4.1%	84	1.4%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	357	4.2%

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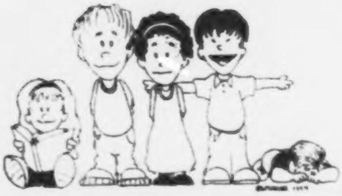

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EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$5,303.33	121.1%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	723.11	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	1	0.4%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	10	50.0%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	0	0.0%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	10	100.0%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21c)	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	45	6.5%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	1	2.2%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	25	55.6%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	18	40.0%	5,024	39.9%
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Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	3	6.7%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	21.2	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	9	44.4%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	4	25.0%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	3	100.0%	2,034	47.5%
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Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	13	0.4%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	8	0.2%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	198	0.6%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	40	0.1%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27d)	2	0.5%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	3	9.4%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29e)	15	0.2%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	6	40.0%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	0	0.0%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	9	60.0%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31f)	0	0.0%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	3	66.7%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 (33)	0	0.0%	780	2.1%

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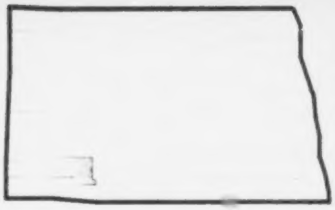

Hettinger County

County Seat:	**Mott**
State Population Rank:	**41**
Land Area:	**1,132.3**
Number of Households:	**1,174**
Number of Families:	**861**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	HETTINGER	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	3,020	0.5%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	223	30.0%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	521	70.0%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	815	26.6%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	804	98.7%	173,838	91.2%
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Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	1	0.1%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	42	4.7%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	394	74.1%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	171	72.5%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	223	75.3%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	3	0.4%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	2	66.7%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	1	33.3%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	125	51.2%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	220	24.2%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	60	24.6%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	160	24.0%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$24,306.00	81.0%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	163	17.9%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	143	15.7%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	78	0.9%	8,971	100.0%
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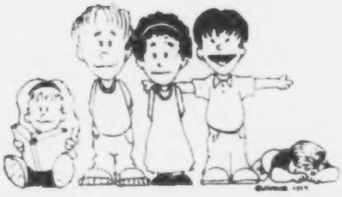

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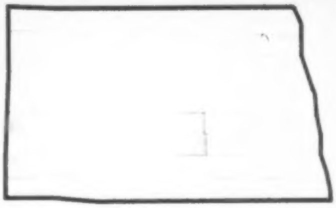

Kidder County

County Seat:	**Steele**
State Population Rank:	**40**
Land Area:	**1,351.6**
Number of Households:	**1,136**
Number of Families:	**871**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	KIDDER	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	3,036	0.5%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	211	26.5%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	585	73.5%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	879	28.5%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	876	99.7%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	0	0.0%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	0	0.0%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	3	0.3%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	4	0.5%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	71	7.8%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	386	75.4%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	152	62.5%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	234	83.8%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	4	0.5%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	3	75.0%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	1	25.0%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	99	49.5%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	279	31.1%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	64	31.4%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	215	31.0%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$19,076.00	63.5%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	204	22.7%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	137	15.3%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	55	0.6%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	190	0.5%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	92	43.6%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	97	0.4%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	1	4.4%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	0	0.0%	84	1.4%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 (17)	1	4.4%	357	4.2%

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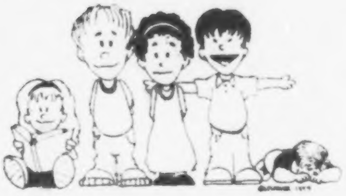

EDUCATION

	KIDDER	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$5,295.14	120.9%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	632.51	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	4	1.8%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	3	42.9%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	0	0.0%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	3	100.0%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21)c	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	41	6.7%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	1	2.4%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	17	41.5%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	18	43.9%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	5	12.2%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	1	2.4%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	11	26.8%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	18	43.9%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	6	14.6%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	19.6	N/A	21.2	N/A

CHILD SAFETY

	KIDDER	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	16	31.3%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	3	33.3%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	11	27.3%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect (24)	2	50.0%	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse (24)	0	0.0%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	4	0.1%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	7	0.2%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	69	0.2%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	35	0.1%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27)(d)	17	4.3%	3,282	3.8%

TEENS AT RISK

	KIDDER	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	0	0.0%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29)e	26	0.3%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	15	57.7%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	0	0.0%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	5	19.2%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31)f	6	37.5%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	3	33.3%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 (33)	8	4.3%	780	2.1%

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North Dakota

LaMoure County

County Seat:	**LaMoure**
State Population Rank:	**27**
Land Area:	**1,147.2**
Number of Households:	**1,936**
Number of Families:	**1,384**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	LaMOURE	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	5,026	0.8%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	352	27.2%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	944	72.8%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	1,426	27.8%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	1,419	99.5%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	0	0.0%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	5	0.4%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	2	0.1%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	5	0.4%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	81	5.5%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	620	67.4%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	250	56.4%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	370	74.9%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7)b	4	0.3%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	4	100.0%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	0	0.0%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	165	45.2%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	399	27.1%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	70	21.0%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	329	28.9%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$22,178.00	73.9%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	240	16.3%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	146	9.9%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	102	1.1%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	320	0.9%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	149	45.2%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	142	0.6%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	4	7.4%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	1	1.5%	84	1.4%
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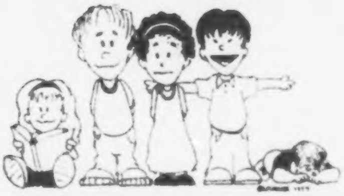

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EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$4,232.01	96.7%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	1,190.88	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	1	0.3%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	7	100.0%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	0	0.0%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	7	100.0%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21c)	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	72	6.1%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	7	9.7%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	36	50.0%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	28	38.9%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	1	1.4%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	4	5.6%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	28	38.9%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	22	30.6%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	5	6.9%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	20.7	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	9	44.4%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	2	0.0%	1,555	39.1%
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Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	12	0.4%	1,972	59.7%
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TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	3	5.6%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29e)	30	0.4%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	10	33.3%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	0	0.0%	509	6.3%
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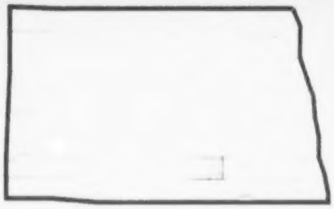

Logan County

County Seat: Napoleon
State Population Rank: 47
Land Area: 992.7
Number of Households: 953
Number of Families: 713

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	LOGAN	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	2,477	0.4%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	169	28.9%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	416	71.1%	119,052	69.3%
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Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	115	16.3%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	50	7.1%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	38	0.4%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	145	0.4%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	60	31.8%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	79	0.3%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	61	0.7%
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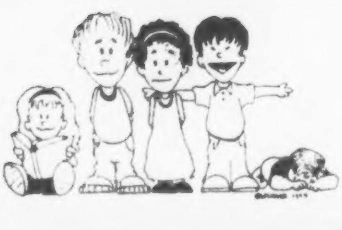

	LOGAN	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$4,609.75	105.3%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	484.88	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	1	0.6%	907	2.4%
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Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	53	10.1%	12,578	10.6%
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Ages 12-17 (23)	26	49.1%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	0	0.0%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	0	0.0%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	20	37.7%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	25	47.2%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	5	9.4%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	18.7	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	2	50.0%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	1	100.0%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	1	0.0%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect (24)	0	0.0%	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse (24)	0	0.0%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	7	0.2%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	2	0.1%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	91	0.3%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	10	0.0%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27d)	3	1.0%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	4	14.8%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29e)	21	0.3%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	10	47.6%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	1	4.8%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	6	28.6%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31f)	1	10.0%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	2	50.0%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 (33)	0	0.0%	780	2.1%

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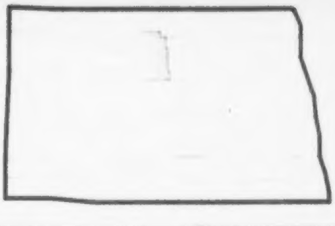

McHenry County

County Seat: Towner
State Population Rank: 21
Land Area: 1,874.2
Number of Households: 2,471
Number of Families: 1,780

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	McHENRY	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995[1]	6,322	1.0%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 [2]	413	26.6%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 [2]	1,142	73.4%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 [3a]	1,710	27.5%	190,575	29.9%
White [4]	1,698	99.3%	173,838	91.2%
Black [4]	0	0.0%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian [4]	6	0.4%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander [4]	6	0.4%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 [4a]	6	0.4%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 [5]	181	10.2%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) [6]	841	67.2%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) [6]	358	59.5%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) [6]	483	72.9%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 [7b]	11	0.7%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements [8]	8	72.7%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements [8]	3	27.3%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 [9]	317	49.9%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 [5]	403	22.8%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 [10]	111	28.2%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 [11]	292	21.3%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 [12]	$23,271.00	77.5%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 [5]	371	21.0%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 [5]	189	10.7%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year [13]	98	1.1%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year [14]	348	1.0%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 [15]	282	46.3%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 [16]	134	0.6%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 [17]	2	4.2%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 [17]	0	0.0%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 [18]	0	0.0%	84	1.4%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 [17]	1	2.1%	357	4.2%

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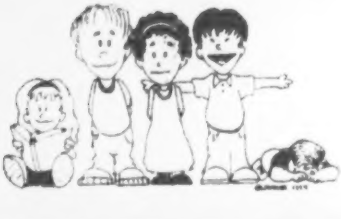

EDUCATION

	McHENRY	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$4,586.69	104.8%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	1,346.57	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	0	0.0%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	68	90.7%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	0	0.0%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	68	100.0%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21c)	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	131	10.0%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	11	8.4%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	60	45.8%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	55	42.0%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	5	3.8%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	5	3.8%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	60	45.8%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	51	38.9%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	7	5.3%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	19.6	N/A	21.2	N/A

CHILD SAFETY

	McHENRY	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	32	62.5%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	14	71.4%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	12	58.3%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect (24)	6	50.0%	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse (24)	0	0.0%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	14	0.4%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	9	0.3%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	184	0.5%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	45	0.1%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27d)	10	1.3%	3,282	3.8%

TEENS AT RISK

	McHENRY	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	2	4.2%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29e)	34	0.4%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	16	47.1%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	1	2.9%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	12	35.3%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31f)	5	50.0%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	6	33.3%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 (33)	9	2.9%	780	2.1%

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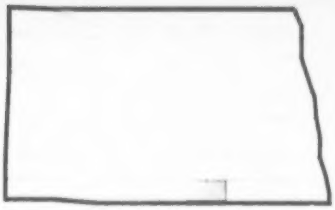

McIntosh County

County Seat:	**Ashley**
State Population Rank:	**35**
Land Area:	**975.3**
Number of Households:	**1,531**
Number of Families:	**1,084**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	McINTOSH	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	3,649	0.6%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	223	30.4%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	511	69.6%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	797	21.6%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	793	99.5%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	0	0.0%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	2	0.3%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	2	0.3%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	1	0.1%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	53	6.1%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	423	86.8%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	198	81.3%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	225	91.6%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	1	0.1%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	1	100.0%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	0	0.0%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	101	34.6%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	172	19.5%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	29	12.9%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	143	21.8%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$24,459.00	81.5%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	125	14.2%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	77	8.7%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	71	0.8%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	224	0.6%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	105	33.3%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	79	0.3%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	2	5.6%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	2	5.6%	61	0.7%
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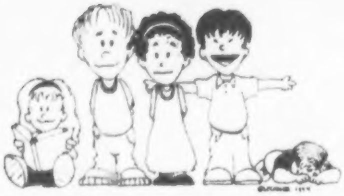

	McINTOSH	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$4,937.30	112.8%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	671.21	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	1	0.5%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	9	52.9%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	0	0.0%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	9	100.0%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21)c	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	48	7.1%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	1	2.1%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	21	43.8%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	22	45.8%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	4	8.3%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	0	0.0%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	14	29.2%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	20	41.7%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	11	22.9%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	20.5	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	12	58.3%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	6	66.7%	1,555	39.1%
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Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	2	0.1%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	103	0.3%	29,182	81.8%
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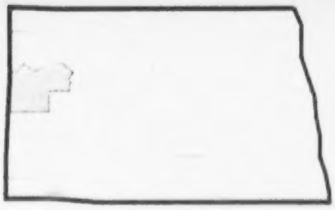

McKenzie County

County Seat:	**Watford**
State Population Rank:	**23**
Land Area:	**2,742.2**
Number of Households:	**2,085**
Number of Families:	**1,523**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	McKENZIE	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	5,779	0.9%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	617	33.2%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	1,243	66.8%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3)a	2,026	34.4%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	1,570	77.5%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	1	0.1%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	454	22.4%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	1	0.1%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4)a	30	1.5%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	272	12.9%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	877	68.2%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	393	61.8%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	484	73.3%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7)b	24	1.2%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	20	83.3%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	4	16.7%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY '96 (9)	649	64.5%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	494	23.2%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	166	28.8%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	328	21.1%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$30,718.00	102.3%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	250	11.7%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	216	10.1%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	73	0.8%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	372	1.1%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	595	62.6%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	92	0.4%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	10	13.0%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	1	1.3%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	4	5.4%	84	1.4%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 (17)	9	11.7%	357	4.2%

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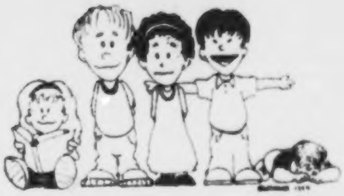

	McKENZIE	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$7,991.73	182.5%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	1,166.70	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	4	1.2%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	32	57.1%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	N/A	N/A	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	N/A	N/A	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21)c	32	100.0%	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	133	11.1%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	17	12.8%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	55	41.4%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	52	39.1%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	9	6.8%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	1	0.8%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	40	30.1%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	67	50.4%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	10	7.5%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	19.4	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	22	18.2%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	7	28.6%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	10	10.0%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect (24)	3	0.0%	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse (24)	2	50.0%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	11	0.3%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	13	0.4%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	132	0.4%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	90	0.3%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27)d	56	6.0%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	6	7.8%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29)e	28	0.4%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	14	50.0%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	1	3.6%	509	6.3%
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Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31)f	11	26.2%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	5	60.0%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 (33)	8	2.3%	780	2.1%

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North Dakota

McLean County

County Seat:	**Washburn**
State Population Rank:	**14**
Land Area:	**2,110.4**
Number of Households:	**3,698**
Number of Families:	**2,717**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	McLEAN	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	9,847	1.5%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	729	27.0%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	1,968	73.0%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	2,961	29.8%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	2,687	90.8%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	1	0.0%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	267	9.0%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	6	0.2%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	18	0.6%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	321	10.5%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	1,459	67.5%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	631	60.9%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	828	72.5%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	28	1.0%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	17	60.7%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	11	39.3%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	461	49.8%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	486	16.0%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	186	25.9%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	300	12.9%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$30,957.00	103.1%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	392	12.9%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	280	9.2%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	114	1.3%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	512	1.5%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	475	50.1%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	222	0.9%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	2	2.6%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	1	1.3%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	1	0.9%	84	1.4%
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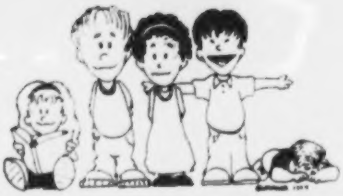

	McLEAN	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$4,252.56	97.1%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	2,420.02	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	10	1.2%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	20	54.1%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	N/A	N/A	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	N/A	N/A	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21)c	20	100.0%	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	228	9.7%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	25	11.0%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	101	44.3%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	90	39.5%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	12	5.3%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	2	0.9%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	96	42.1%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	95	41.7%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	11	4.8%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	20.3	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	36	44.4%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	18	55.6%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	13	38.5%	2,034	47.5%
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Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	16	0.5%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	10	0.3%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	179	0.5%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	50	0.1%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27)d	50	3.7%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	10	12.8%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29)e	94	1.2%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	42	44.7%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	9	9.6%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	32	34.0%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31)f	1	20.0%	1,506	16.4%
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North Dakota

Mercer County

County Seat:	**Stanton**
State Population Rank:	**15**
Land Area:	**1,045.4**
Number of Households:	**3,440**
Number of Families:	**2,610**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	MERCER	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	9,466	1.5%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	928	32.3%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	1,949	67.7%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3)a	3,107	33.0%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	2,965	95.4%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	6	0.2%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	113	3.6%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	23	0.7%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4)a	27	0.9%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	260	8.2%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	1,491	65.5%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	719	57.2%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	772	73.2%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7)b	15	0.5%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	5	33.3%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	10	66.7%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	296	49.3%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	218	6.8%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	57	6.6%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	161	6.9%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$41,591.00	138.5%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	246	7.7%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	75	2.3%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	98	1.1%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	198	0.6%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	278	46.8%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	246	1.0%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	11	10.1%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	2	1.8%	61	0.7%
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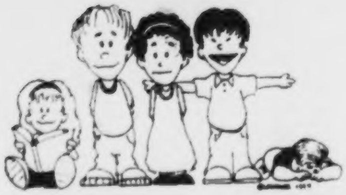

	MERCER	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$4,031.63	92.1%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	2,360.76	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	5	0.7%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	N/A	N/A	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	N/A	N/A	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	N/A	N/A	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21)c	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	255	11.2%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	23	9.0%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	117	45.9%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	108	42.4%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	7	2.8%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	1	0.4%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	59	23.1%	4,125	32.8%
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TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	3	2.3%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29)e	103	1.3%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	49	47.6%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	9	8.7%	509	6.3%
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North Dakota

Morton County

County Seat: Mandan
State Population Rank: 5
Land Area: 1,926.4
Number of Households: 9,031
Number of Families: 6,617

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	MORTON	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	24,633	3.8%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	1,945	28.0%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	4,995	72.0%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	7,683	31.7%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	7,409	96.4%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	14	0.2%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	240	3.1%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	20	0.3%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	43	0.6%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	961	13.4%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	3,368	78.8%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	1,519	71.2%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	1,849	85.0%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	83	1.1%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	41	49.4%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	42	50.6%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	1,463	55.5%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	1,036	14.3%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	296	17.3%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	740	13.4%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$30,981.00	103.2%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	972	13.4%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	405	5.6%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	415	4.6%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	1,216	3.4%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	1,379	53.2%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	841	3.5%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	16	5.1%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	4	1.3%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	7	3.7%	84	1.4%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 (17)	12	3.9%	357	4.2%

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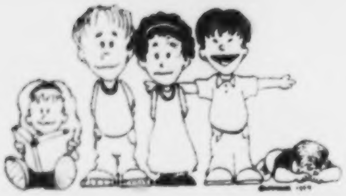

	MORTON	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$3,609.44	82.4%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	5,163.43	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	72	4.3%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	100	77.5%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	100	100.0%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	0	0.0%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21)c	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	616	12.0%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	102	16.6%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	270	43.8%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	222	36.0%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	22	3.6%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	25	4.1%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	318	51.6%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	182	29.6%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	48	7.8%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	21.1	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	189	37.0%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	56	30.4%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	76	38.2%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect (24)	41	48.8%	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse (24)	16	25.0%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	73	2.2%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	70	2.1%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	973	2.7%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	350	1.0%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27)d	134	3.9%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	24	7.7%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29)e	504	6.3%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	230	45.6%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	27	5.4%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	154	30.6%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31)f	86	16.2%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	14	14.3%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 (33)	39	2.9%	780	2.1%

REGION VII

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North Dakota

Mountrail County

County Seat: Stanley
State Population Rank: 20
Land Area: 1,824
Number of Households: 2,509
Number of Families: 1,792

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	MOUNTRAIL	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	6,797	1.1%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	566	29.2%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	1,375	70.8%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	2,147	31.9%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	1,486	69.2%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	2	0.1%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	653	30.4%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	6	0.3%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	14	0.7%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	370	17.6%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	955	73.4%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	434	68.4%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	521	77.5%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	29	1.4%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	23	79.3%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	6	20.7%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	553	54.1%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	583	27.6%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	185	37.7%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	398	24.5%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$25,000.00	83.3%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	356	16.8%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	272	12.9%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	140	1.6%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	704	2.0%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	554	54.9%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	116	0.5%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	5	5.3%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	2	2.3%	84	1.4%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 (17)	11	11.6%	357	4.2%

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EDUCATION

	MOUNTRAIL	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year [19]	$4,401.07	100.5%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	1,702.85	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	22	4.6%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 [20]	100	49.5%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based [21]	N/A	N/A	1,285	53.5%
Home Based [21]	N/A	N/A	375	15.6%
Reservation Based [21*]	100	100.0%	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 [22]	227	13.4%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 [23]	19	8.4%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 [23]	112	49.3%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 [23]	84	37.0%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 [23]	12	5.3%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed [23]	4	1.8%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired [23]	100	44.1%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability [23]	105	46.3%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped [23]	10	4.4%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	19.9	N/A	21.2	N/A

CHILD SAFETY

	MOUNTRAIL	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 [24]	12	50.0%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse [24]	9	66.7%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect [24]	1	0.0%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect [24]	0	0.0%	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse [24]	2	0.0%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 [25]	17	0.5%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 [25]	19	0.6%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 [26]	225	0.6%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 [26]	92	0.3%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 [27◊]	138	14.2%	3,282	3.8%

TEENS AT RISK

	MOUNTRAIL	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 [28]	14	14.7%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) [29x]	29	0.4%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior [30]	15	51.7%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person [30]	1	3.5%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property [30]	9	31.0%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 [31†]	3	50.0%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 [32]	4	50.0%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 [33]	9	2.0%	780	2.1%

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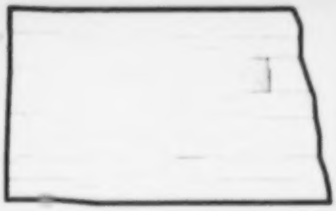

Nelson County

County Seat:	**Lakota**
State Population Rank:	**31**
Land Area:	**981.7**
Number of Households:	**1,690**
Number of Families:	**1,134**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	NELSON	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	4,065	0.6%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	240	27.0%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	649	73.0%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	973	23.8%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	965	99.2%	173,838	91.2%
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Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	5	0.5%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	84	8.2%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	481	76.7%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	196	79.1%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	285	75.1%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	10	1.1%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	7	70.0%	1,108	67.9%
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ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	95	33.3%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	187	18.2%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	28	11.8%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	159	20.2%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$24,952.00	83.1%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	153	14.9%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	60	5.9%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	90	1.0%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	221	0.6%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	98	33.3%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	67	0.3%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	61	0.7%
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	NELSON	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$5,075.30	115.9%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	892.61	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	1	0.3%	907	2.4%
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Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	20.8	N/A	21.2	N/A
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Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	13	0.4%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	3	0.1%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	142	0.4%	29,182	81.8%
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TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	0	0.0%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29)(e)	21	0.3%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	14	66.7%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	4	19.1%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	1	4.8%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31)(f)	0	0.0%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	4	25.0%	403	31.3%
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North Dakota

Oliver County

County Seat:	**Center**
State Population Rank:	**49**
Land Area:	**723.6**
Number of Households:	**744**
Number of Families:	**592**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	OLIVER	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	2,186	0.3%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	188	27.1%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	507	73.0%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	762	34.5%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	747	98.0%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	0	0.0%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	15	2.0%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	0	0.0%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	3	0.4%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	31	3.9%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	334	65.9%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	150	62.7%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	184	68.5%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	2	0.3%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	1	50.0%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	1	50.0%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	64	65.3%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	160	20.6%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	43	23.0%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	117	19.8%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$34,327.00	114.4%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	60	7.7%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	70	9.0%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	19	0.2%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	54	0.2%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	54	64.3%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	2	0.0%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	0	0.0%	84	1.4%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	357	4.2%

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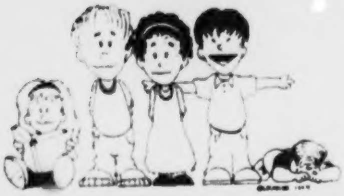

	OLIVER	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$4,371.25	99.8%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	417.03	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	1	0.7%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	N/A	N/A	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	N/A	N/A	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	N/A	N/A	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21)c	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	50	12.1%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	0	0.0%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	20	40.0%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	27	54.0%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	3	6.0%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	2	4.0%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	12	24.0%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	31	62.0%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	4	8.0%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	19.9	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	4	75.0%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	1	100.0%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	3	66.7%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect (24)	0	0.0%	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse (24)	0	0.0%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	1	0.0%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	3	0.1%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	7	0.0%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	15	0.0%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27)(d)	1	0.3%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	2	13.3%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29)e	19	0.2%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	6	31.6%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	3	15.8%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	9	47.4%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31)f	2	100.0%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	1	0.0%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 (33)	6	4.8%	780	2.1%

REGION VII

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North Dakota

Pembina County

County Seat:	**Cavalier**
State Population Rank:	**16**
Land Area:	**1,118.8**
Number of Households:	**3,388**
Number of Families:	**2,390**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	PEMBINA	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	8,791	1.4%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	669	28.9%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	1,648	71.1%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	2,546	29.0%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	2,473	97.1%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	5	0.2%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	62	2.4%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	6	0.2%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	35	1.4%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	253	9.8%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	1,203	72.1%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	515	68.3%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	688	74.9%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	6	0.3%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	4	66.7%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	2	33.3%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	366	51.5%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	260	10.0%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	61	9.9%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	199	10.1%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$30,182.00	100.5%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	371	14.3%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	101	3.9%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	113	1.3%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	314	0.9%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	353	50.6%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	356	1.5%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	6	5.0%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	1	0.8%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	1	1.0%	84	1.4%
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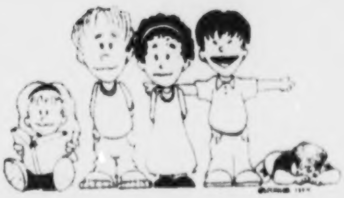

	PEMBINA	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year [19]	$4,710.12	107.6%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	2,026.38	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	5	0.8%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 [20]	17	63.0%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based [21]	17	100.0%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based [21]	0	0.0%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based [21]	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 [22]	193	9.5%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 [23]	23	11.9%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 [23]	87	45.1%	5,543	44.1%
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Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	21.1	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 [24]	52	67.3%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse [24]	11	63.6%	1,555	39.1%
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Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 [25]	25	0.8%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 [25]	11	0.3%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 [26]	439	1.2%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 [26]	55	0.2%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 [27][d]	5	0.4%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 [28]	7	5.8%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) [29][e]	92	1.1%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior [30]	36	39.1%	3,464	42.9%
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North Dakota

Pierce County

County Seat:	**Rugby**
State Population Rank:	**28**
Land Area:	**1,017.9**
Number of Households:	**1,825**
Number of Families:	**1,260**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

POPULATION

	PIERCE	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Total Population, 1995 (1)	4,675	0.7%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	288	26.1%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	814	73.9%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	1,218	26.2%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	1,200	98.5%	173,838	91.2%
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Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	8	0.7%	13,613	7.1%
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Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	0	0.0%	2,348	1.2%

FAMILY COMPOSITION

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Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	145	11.3%	24,885	14.2%
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Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	295	22.9%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	52	4.0%	12,788	7.3%

CHILD HEALTH

	PIERCE	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	41	0.5%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	240	0.7%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	218	47.0%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	149	0.6%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	2	4.4%	449	5.3%
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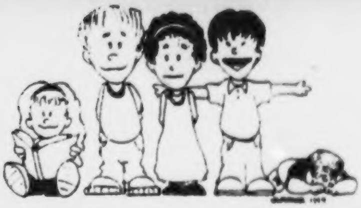

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EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$4,091.45	93.5%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	890.06	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	1	0.3%	907	2.4%
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Reservation Based (21)c	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	97	11.2%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	11	11.3%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	33	34.0%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	48	49.5%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	5	5.2%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	1	1.0%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	27	27.8%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	56	57.7%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	3	3.1%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	21.0	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	19	31.6%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	9	22.2%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	7	42.9%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect (24)	0	0.0%	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse (24)	3	33.3%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	9	0.3%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	5	0.2%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	132	0.4%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	25	0.1%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27)d	3	0.5%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	8	17.8%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29)e	26	0.3%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	7	26.9%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	1	3.9%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	12	46.2%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31)f	0	0.0%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	4	25.0%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 (33)	5	1.8%	780	2.1%

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North Dakota

Ramsey County

County Seat:	**Devils Lake**
State Population Rank:	**12**
Land Area:	**1,186.2**
Number of Households:	**4,980**
Number of Families:	**3,358**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	RAMSEY	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	12,680	2.0%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	980	30.1%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	2,278	69.9%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	3,599	28.4%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	3,264	90.7%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	14	0.4%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	306	8.5%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	15	0.4%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	23	0.6%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	662	19.8%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	1,644	80.1%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	780	73.6%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	864	85.9%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7)b	44	1.3%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	31	70.5%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	13	29.6%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	929	54.6%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	599	18.0%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	183	21.6%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	416	16.7%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$28,794.00	95.9%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	585	17.5%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	266	8.0%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	201	2.2%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	787	2.2%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	866	51.5%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	659	2.7%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	8	4.7%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	1	0.7%	84	1.4%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 (17)	4	2.4%	357	4.2%

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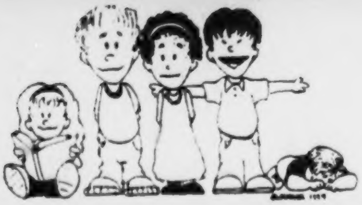

	RAMSEY	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$4,050.93	92.5%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	2,520.15	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	13	1.6%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	54	60.0%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	0	0.0%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	43	79.6%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21)c	11	20.4%	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	288	11.6%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	32	11.1%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	122	42.4%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	115	39.9%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	19	6.6%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	26	9.0%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	67	23.3%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	132	45.8%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	37	12.9%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	21.2	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	153	47.1%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	57	38.6%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	73	58.9%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect (24)	13	38.5%	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse (24)	10	20.0%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	43	1.3%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	37	1.1%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	660	1.9%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	185	0.5%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27)d	136	8.4%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	23	13.6%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29)e	367	4.6%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	141	38.4%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	22	6.0%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	75	20.4%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31)f	92	19.8%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	11	27.3%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 (33)	20	2.9%	780	2.1%

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North Dakota

kids count north dakota

Ransom County

County Seat:	**Lisbon**
State Population Rank:	**22**
Land Area:	**862.8**
Number of Households:	**2,275**
Number of Families:	**1,597**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	RANSOM	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	5,887	0.9%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	399	28.4%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	1,007	71.7%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3)a	1,545	26.4%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	1,535	99.4%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	1	0.1%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	4	0.3%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	5	0.3%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4)a	11	0.7%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	147	9.6%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	713	72.2%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	322	73.0%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	391	71.6%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7)b	6	0.4%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	2	33.3%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	4	66.7%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	153	35.4%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	206	13.4%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	75	20.3%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	131	11.2%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$31,639.00	105.4%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	144	9.4%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	109	7.1%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	66	0.7%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	141	0.4%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	194	39.6%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	169	0.7%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	7	10.5%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	1	1.0%	84	1.4%
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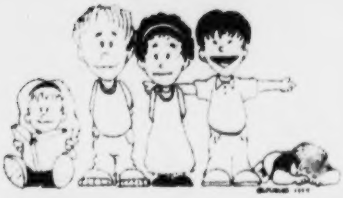

	RANSOM	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year [19]	$4,094.25	93.5%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	1,238.02	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	2	0.5%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 [20]	6	66.7%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based [21]	6	100.0%	1,285	53.5%
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Reservation Based [21c]	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 [22]	137	10.7%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 [23]	19	13.9%	1,392	11.1%
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Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 [25]	17	0.5%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 [25]	12	0.4%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 [26]	222	0.6%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 [26]	60	0.2%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 [27d]	19	2.7%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 [28]	4	6.0%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) [29e]	27	0.3%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior [30]	9	33.3%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person [30]	0	0.0%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property [30]	16	59.3%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 [31f]	2	5.6%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 [32]	5	40.0%	403	31.3%
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REGION V

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North Dakota

Renville County

County Seat:	**Mohall**
State Population Rank:	**43**
Land Area:	**874.8**
Number of Households:	**1,089**
Number of Families:	**797**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	RENVILLE	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	2,843	0.4%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	195	26.0%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	554	74.0%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	829	28.3%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	809	97.6%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	8	1.0%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	8	1.0%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	4	0.5%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	3	0.4%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	86	9.9%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	411	69.8%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	195	61.0%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	216	77.8%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	2	0.3%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	1	50.0%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	1	50.0%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	85	48.0%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	114	13.2%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	16	9.0%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	98	14.2%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$28,833.00	96.1%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	127	14.7%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	48	5.5%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	69	0.8%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	142	0.4%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	70	44.3%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	51	0.2%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	0	0.0%	84	1.4%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	357	4.2%

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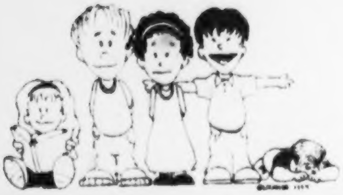

	RENVILLE	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$4,362.82	99.6%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	820.47	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	1	0.4%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	N/A	N/A	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	N/A	N/A	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	N/A	N/A	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21)	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	126	16.3%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	16	12.7%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	55	43.7%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	50	39.7%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	5	4.0%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	0	0.0%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	52	41.3%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	60	47.6%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	8	6.4%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	21.9	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	15	53.3%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	9	55.6%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	3	66.7%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect (24)	3	33.3%	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse (24)	0	0.0%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	3	0.1%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	3	0.1%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	55	0.2%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	15	0.0%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27)(d)	N/A	N/A	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	2	8.0%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29)(e)	14	0.2%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	3	21.4%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	1	7.1%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	3	21.4%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31)(f)	0	0.0%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	3	0.0%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 (33)	2	1.2%	780	2.1%

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N/A - Data are not available or not applicable

North Dakota

Richland County

County Seat:	**Wahpeton**
State Population Rank:	**9**
Land Area:	**1,436.9**
Number of Households:	**6,533**
Number of Families:	**4,518**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	RICHLAND	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	18,177	2.8%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	1,477	28.3%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	3,662	71.7%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (4a)	5,756	31.4%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	5,399	93.8%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	9	0.2%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	307	5.3%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	41	0.7%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	18	0.3%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	538	10.9%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	2,180	71.5%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	1,084	65.1%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	1,096	77.9%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	34	0.6%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	21	61.8%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	13	38.2%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	843	54.7%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	630	12.8%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	211	16.4%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	419	11.5%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$31,784.00	105.9%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	610	12.4%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	242	4.9%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	257	2.9%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	639	1.8%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	783	51.3%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	486	2.0%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	11	5.1%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	1	0.5%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	6	3.9%	84	1.4%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 (17)	12	5.5%	357	4.2%

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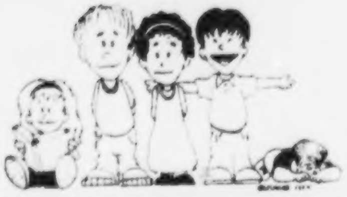

	RICHLAND	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$3,625.88	82.8%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	3,510.57	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	24	2.4%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	32	74.4%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	32	100.0%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	0	0.0%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21+)	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	384	11.6%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	31	8.1%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	168	43.8%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	168	43.8%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	17	4.4%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	15	3.9%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	108	28.1%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	207	53.9%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	21	5.5%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	20.8	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	107	52.3%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	56	57.1%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	39	53.9%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect (24)	8	12.5%	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse (24)	4	50.0%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	64	1.9%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	19	0.6%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	782	2.2%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	95	0.3%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27#)	157	6.2%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	18	8.3%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29*)	167	2.1%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	68	40.7%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	19	11.4%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	58	34.7%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31!)	69	27.2%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	11	45.5%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 (33)	9	0.7%	780	2.1%

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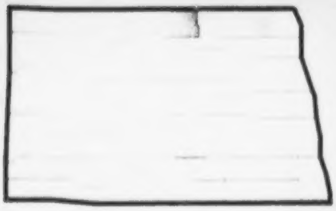

Rolette County

County Seat: Rolla
State Population Rank: 10
Land Area: 902.5
Number of Households: 4,478
Number of Families: 3,369
Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	ROLETTE	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	13,779	2.2%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	1,783	34.4%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	3,398	65.6%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	5,643	41.8%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	1,168	20.7%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	16	0.3%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	4,453	78.9%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	6	0.1%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	32	0.6%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	1,742	35.7%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	1,855	58.9%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	927	51.0%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	928	66.8%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	136	2.5%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	123	90.4%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	13	38.2%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	3,271	66.3%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	2,476	51.2%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	836	59.1%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	1,640	47.9%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$13,386.00	44.6%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	521	10.8%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	1,520	31.4%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	175	2.0%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	2,332	6.6%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	3,269	65.7%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	1,827	7.6%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	13	4.7%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	7	2.5%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	2	1.8%	84	1.4%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 (17)	34	12.3%	357	4.2%

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	ROLETTE	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$5,026.21	114.8%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	3,224.71	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	86	8.4%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	330	91.7%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	N/A	N/A	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	N/A	N/A	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21c)	330	100.0%	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	272	8.6%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	33	12.1%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	126	46.3%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	99	36.4%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	14	5.2%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	5	1.8%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	102	37.5%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	123	45.2%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	20	7.4%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	18.0	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	58	46.6%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	23	43.5%	1,555	39.1%
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Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	193	0.5%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	638	1.8%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27d)	26	1.0%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	66	23.8%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29e)	165	2.0%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	56	33.9%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	9	5.5%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	54	32.7%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31f)	0	0.0%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	8	62.5%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 (33)	112	13.2%	780	2.1%

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North Dakota

Sargent County

County Seat:	**Forman**
State Population Rank:	**30**
Land Area:	**858.8**
Number of Households:	**1,769**
Number of Families:	**1,273**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	SARGENT	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	4,564	0.7%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	310	27.5%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	817	72.5%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3)a	1,247	28.0%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	1,241	99.5%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	1	0.1%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	2	0.2%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	3	0.2%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4)a	6	0.5%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	98	8.0%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	597	78.0%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	235	70.2%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	362	83.1%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7)b	0	0.0%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	0	0.0%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	0	0.0%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	176	54.0%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	156	12.8%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	46	15.6%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	110	11.9%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$32,310.00	107.6%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	141	11.5%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	83	6.8%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	43	0.5%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	122	0.4%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	168	50.8%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	164	0.7%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	5	10.4%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	61	0.7%
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Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 (17)	4	8.3%	357	4.2%

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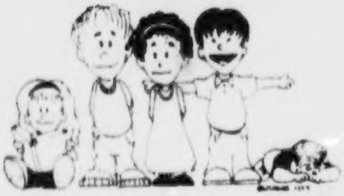

	SARGENT	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$4,333.81	99.0%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	834.49	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	0	0.0%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	9	56.3%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	9	100.0%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	0	0.0%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21)c	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	93	10.6%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	11	11.8%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	38	40.9%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	37	39.8%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	7	7.5%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	6	6.5%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	31	33.3%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	40	43.0%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	5	5.4%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	20.0	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	28	42.9%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	5	20.0%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	15	46.7%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect (24)	5	40.0%	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse (24)	3	66.7%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	10	0.3%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	6	0.2%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	114	0.3%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	27	0.1%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27)d	24	4.3%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	4	8.3%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29)e	26	0.3%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	15	57.7%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	1	3.9%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	7	26.9%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31)f	15	46.9%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	4	25.0%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 (33)	0	0.0%	780	2.1%

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North Dakota

Sheridan County

County Seat:	**McClusky**
State Population Rank:	**51**
Land Area:	**971.8**
Number of Households:	**758**
Number of Families:	**573**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	SHERIDAN	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 [1]	1,895	**0.3%**	641,367	**100.0%**
Ages 0-5 [2]	133	**30.7%**	52,763	**30.7%**
Ages 6-17 [2]	300	**69.3%**	119,052	**69.3%**
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 [3a]	474	**24.4%**	190,575	**29.9%**
White [4]	469	**99.0%**	173,838	**91.2%**
Black [4]	0	**0.0%**	1,498	**0.8%**
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian [4]	5	**1.1%**	13,613	**7.1%**
Asian, Pacific Islander [4]	0	**0.0%**	1,626	**0.9%**
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 [4a]	1	**0.2%**	2,348	**1.2%**
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 [5]	31	**6.0%**	24,885	**14.2%**
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) [6]	253	**53.4%**	84,631	**74.4%**
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) [6]	93	**36.6%**	40,947	**69.1%**
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) [6]	160	**63.1%**	43,684	**79.4%**
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 [7b]	3	**0.7%**	1,632	**0.9%**
Family Home Placements [8]	2	**66.7%**	1,108	**67.9%**
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements [8]	1	**33.3%**	524	**32.1%**
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 [9]	81	**46.6%**	35,413	**55.2%**
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 [5]	170	**32.8%**	29,732	**16.9%**
Under Age 5 [10]	70	**51.9%**	9,322	**19.4%**
Ages 5-17 [11]	100	**26.0%**	20,410	**16.0%**
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 [12]	$22,411.00	**74.7%**	$30,020.00	**100.0%**
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 [5]	92	**17.7%**	22,193	**12.6%**
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 [5]	56	**10.8%**	12,788	**7.3%**
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year [13]	26	**0.3%**	8,971	**100.0%**
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year [14]	63	**0.2%**	26,350	**100.0%**
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 [15]	86	**47.0%**	34,560	**53.2%**
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 [16]	67	**0.3%**	24,187	**100.0%**
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 [17]	0	**0.0%**	449	**5.3%**
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 [17]	0	**0.0%**	61	**0.7%**
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 [18]	0	**0.0%**	84	**1.4%**
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 [17]	0	**0.0%**	357	**4.2%**

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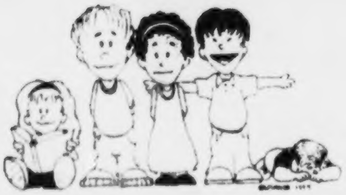

	SHERIDAN	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year [19]	$5,607.73	128.1%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	268.27	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	0	0.0%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 [20]	N/A	N/A	2,401	66.7%
Center Based [21]	N/A	N/A	1,285	53.5%
Home Based [21]	N/A	N/A	375	15.6%
Reservation Based [21c]	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 [22]	34	14.2%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 [23]	0	0.0%	1,392	11.1%
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Educable Mentally Handicapped [23]	1	2.9%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	22.7	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 [24]	4	25.0%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse [24]	1	0.0%	1,555	39.1%
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Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 [25]	2	0.1%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 [25]	1	0.0%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 [26]	14	0.0%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 [26]	5	0.0%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 [27d]	2	0.9%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 [28]	3	21.4%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) [29e]	13	0.2%	8,070	100.0%
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North Dakota

Sioux County

County Seat:	**Fort Yates**
State Population Rank:	**32**
Land Area:	**1,094.2**
Number of Households:	**1,085**
Number of Families:	**879**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

POPULATION

	SIOUX	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Total Population, 1995 (1)	3,994	0.6%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	598	34.3%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	1,146	65.7%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	1,898	47.1%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	260	13.7%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	5	0.3%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	1,629	85.8%	13,613	7.1%
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Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	17	0.9%	2,348	1.2%

FAMILY COMPOSITION

	SIOUX	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	518	32.0%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	486	64.8%	84,631	74.4%
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Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	2	0.1%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	0	0.0%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	2	100.0%	524	32.1%

ECONOMIC CONDITION

	SIOUX	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	1,237	71.1%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	824	49.7%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	229	49.8%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	595	49.6%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$14,395.00	48.0%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	243	14.7%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	424	25.6%	12,788	7.3%

CHILD HEALTH

	SIOUX	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	92	1.0%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	950	2.7%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	1,240	70.3%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	14	0.1%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	8	8.4%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	61	0.7%
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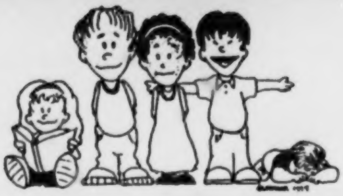

EDUCATION

	SIOUX	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$7,352.87	167.9%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	632.61	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	27	8.2%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	148	97.4%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	N/A	N/A	1,285	53.5%
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Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	166	27.6%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	42	25.3%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	54	32.5%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	66	39.8%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	4	2.4%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	6	3.6%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	73	44.0%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	65	39.2%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	14	8.4%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	15.0	N/A	21.2	N/A

CHILD SAFETY

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Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	3	33.3%	4,602	42.4%
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Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	16	0.5%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	45	1.4%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	103	0.3%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	139	0.4%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27)d	141	16.2%	3,282	3.8%

TEENS AT RISK

	SIOUX	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	27	28.4%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29)e	19	0.2%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	9	47.4%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	0	0.0%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	6	31.6%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31)f	0	0.0%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	2	0.0%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 (33)	20	7.6%	780	2.1%

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North Dakota

Slope County

County Seat: Amidon
State Population Rank: 53
Land Area: 1,218.0
Number of Households: 302
Number of Families: 225

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	SLOPE	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 [1]	821	0.1%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 [2]	60	24.7%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 [2]	183	75.3%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 [3a]	268	31.6%	190,575	29.9%
White [4]	266	99.3%	173,838	91.2%
Black [4]	0	0.0%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian [4]	2	0.8%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander [4]	0	0.0%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 [4a]	1	0.4%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 [5]	15	5.5%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) [6]	124	59.7%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) [6]	61	65.6%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) [6]	63	54.0%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 [7b]	1	0.4%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements [8]	1	100.0%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements [8]	0	0.0%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 [9]	13	39.4%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 [5]	60	21.8%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 [10]	15	23.8%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 [11]	45	21.2%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 [12]	$21,071.00	70.2%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 [5]	42	15.3%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 [5]	29	10.6%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year [13]	0	0.0%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year [14]	0	0.0%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 [15]	28	50.9%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 [16]	0	0.0%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 [17]	2	28.6%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 [17]	0	0.0%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 [18]	0	0.0%	84	1.4%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 [17]	2	28.6%	357	4.2%

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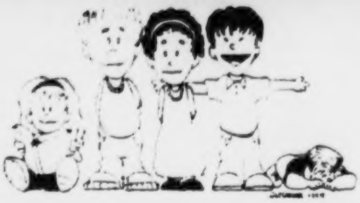

EDUCATION

	SLOPE	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year [19]	$9,639.32	220.2%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	43.41	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	0	0.0%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 [20]	N/A	N/A	2,401	66.7%
Center Based [21]	N/A	N/A	1,285	53.5%
Home Based [21]	N/A	N/A	375	15.6%
Reservation Based [21c]	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 [22]	3	7.9%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 [23]	0	0.0%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 [23]	2	66.7%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 [23]	0	0.0%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 [23]	1	33.3%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed [23]	0	0.0%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired [23]	1	33.3%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability [23]	2	66.7%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped [23]	0	0.0%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	N/A	N/A	21.2	N/A

CHILD SAFETY

Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 [24]	2	100.0%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse [24]	2	100.0%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect [24]	0	0.0%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect [24]	0	0.0%	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse [24]	0	0.0%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 [25]	0	0.0%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 [25]	0	0.0%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 [26]	0	0.0%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 [26]	0	0.0%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 [27d]	4	3.3%	3,282	3.8%

TEENS AT RISK

Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 [28]	0	0.0%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) [29e]	1	0.0%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior [30]	1	100.0%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person [30]	0	0.0%	509	6.3%
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North Dakota

Stark County

County Seat:	**Dickinson**
State Population Rank:	**6**
Land Area:	**1,338.3**
Number of Households:	**8,332**
Number of Families:	**5,878**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	STARK	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	22,434	3.5%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	1,986	30.2%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	4,601	69.9%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3)a	7,274	31.7%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	7,118	97.9%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	10	0.1%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	93	1.3%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	53	0.7%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4)a	78	1.1%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	900	13.3%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	3,381	71.0%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	1,638	66.5%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	1,743	75.2%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7)b	75	1.1%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	49	65.3%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	26	34.7%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	1,443	54.4%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	1,052	15.5%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	283	15.8%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	769	15.4%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$29,301.00	97.6%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	1,007	14.8%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	364	5.4%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	460	5.1%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	1,123	3.2%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	1,342	51.2%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	1,133	4.7%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	16	5.4%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	2	0.7%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	1	0.6%	84	1.4%
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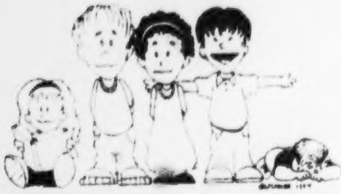

	STARK	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$3,808.13	87.0%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	4,125.04	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	26	1.6%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	106	75.7%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	88	83.0%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	18	17.0%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21)	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	390	9.6%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	45	11.5%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	150	38.5%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	173	44.4%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	22	5.6%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	15	3.9%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	117	30.0%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	167	42.8%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	32	8.2%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	21.4	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	204	59.8%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	58	48.3%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	84	60.7%	2,034	47.5%
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Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	119	3.6%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	30	0.9%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	1,373	3.9%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	147	0.4%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27,d)	212	6.4%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	23	7.8%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29,e)	395	4.9%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	181	45.8%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	10	2.5%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	107	27.1%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31,f)	113	23.1%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	15	46.7%	403	31.3%
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North Dakota

Steele County

County Seat:	**Finley**
State Population Rank:	**48**
Land Area:	**712.4**
Number of Households:	**948**
Number of Families:	**671**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	STEELE	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	2,312	0.4%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	165	29.5%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	394	70.5%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	617	26.9%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	614	99.5%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	0	0.0%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	1	0.2%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	2	0.3%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	4	0.7%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	27	4.3%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	292	72.6%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	134	67.9%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	158	76.6%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	2	0.3%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	1	50.0%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	1	50.0%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	93	66.9%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	105	16.6%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	27	17.0%	9,322	19.4%
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Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$27,596.00	91.9%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	130	20.6%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	61	9.7%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	29	0.3%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	79	0.2%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	80	60.6%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	68	0.3%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	4	14.8%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	61	0.7%
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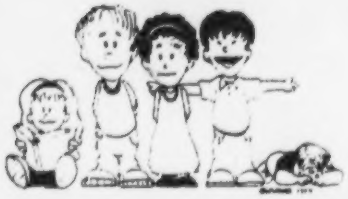

	STEELE	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year [19]	$5,370.17	122.7%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	381.33	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	1	0.8%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 [20]	8	53.3%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based [21]	8	100.0%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based [21]	0	0.0%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based [21]	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 [22]	28	7.2%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 [23]	3	10.7%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 [23]	7	25.0%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 [23]	17	60.7%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 [23]	1	3.6%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed [23]	1	3.6%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired [23]	6	21.4%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability [23]	15	53.6%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped [23]	2	7.1%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	20.5	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 [24]	7	28.6%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse [24]	2	0.0%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect [24]	5	40.0%	2,034	47.5%
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Reports of Sexual Abuse [24]	0	0.0%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 [25]	2	0.1%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 [25]	5	0.2%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 [26]	28	0.1%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 [26]	25	0.1%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 [27][d]	N/A	N/A	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 [28]	0	0.0%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) [29][e]	15	0.2%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior [30]	11	73.3%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person [30]	1	6.7%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property [30]	1	6.7%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 [31][*]	0	0.0%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 [32]	2	0.0%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 [33]	0	0.0%	780	2.1%

REGION V

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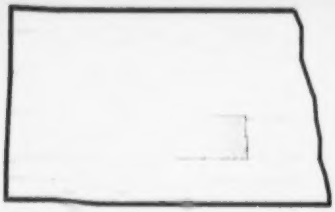

Stutsman County

County Seat: Jamestown
State Population Rank: 7
Land Area: 2,221.5
Number of Households: 8,345
Number of Families: 5,613

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	STUTSMAN	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	21,457	3.4%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	1,587	29.1%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	3,862	70.9%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	6,041	27.9%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	5,910	97.8%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	46	0.8%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	43	0.7%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	42	0.7%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	38	0.6%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	896	15.5%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	2,816	81.0%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	1,163	73.3%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	1,653	86.4%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	50	0.9%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	34	68.0%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	16	32.0%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	1,062	47.5%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	894	15.3%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	297	20.0%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	597	13.7%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$30,048.00	100.1%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	748	12.8%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	309	5.3%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	238	2.7%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	766	2.2%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	1,078	44.8%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	885	3.7%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	9	3.7%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	1	0.4%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	3	1.4%	84	1.4%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 (17)	10	4.1%	357	4.2%

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EDUCATION

	STUTSMAN	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year [19]	$4,096.05	93.6%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	3,612.56	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	35	2.9%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 [20]	81	84.4%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based [21]	68	84.0%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based [21]	13	16.1%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based [21*]	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 [22]	473	13.4%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 [23]	34	7.2%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 [23]	231	48.8%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 [23]	190	40.2%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 [23]	18	3.8%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed [23]	29	6.1%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired [23]	117	24.7%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability [23]	248	52.4%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped [23]	39	8.3%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	21.3	N/A	21.2	N/A

CHILD SAFETY

	STUTSMAN	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 [24]	126	29.4%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse [24]	48	29.2%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect [24]	38	50.0%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect [24]	22	9.1%	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse [24]	18	11.1%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 [25]	91	2.8%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 [25]	41	1.2%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 [26]	1,206	3.4%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 [26]	205	0.6%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 [27d]	98	3.6%	3,282	3.8%

TEENS AT RISK

	STUTSMAN	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 [28]	23	9.5%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) [29&]	283	3.5%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior [30]	118	41.7%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person [30]	16	5.7%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property [30]	55	19.4%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 [31†]	67	12.9%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 [32]	12	16.7%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 [33]	64	5.4%	780	2.1%

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Towner County

County Seat:	**Cando**
State Population Rank:	**38**
Land Area:	**1,025.4**
Number of Households:	**1,268**
Number of Families:	**860**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

POPULATION

	TOWNER	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Total Population, 1995 (1)	3,212	0.5%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	253	30.6%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	575	69.4%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	904	28.0%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	874	96.7%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	2	0.2%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	24	2.7%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	4	0.4%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	3	0.3%	2,348	1.2%

FAMILY COMPOSITION

	TOWNER	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	96	9.8%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	427	74.2%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	178	65.2%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	249	80.7%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	5	0.6%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	3	60.0%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	2	40.0%	524	32.1%

ECONOMIC CONDITION

	TOWNER	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	136	50.2%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	261	26.6%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	107	37.3%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	154	22.2%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$23,462.00	78.2%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	138	14.1%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	112	11.4%	12,788	7.3%

CHILD HEALTH

	TOWNER	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	49	0.6%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	171	0.5%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	143	48.5%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	76	0.3%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	1	2.9%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	61	0.7%
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EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$4,608.61	105.3%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	661.08	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	3	1.6%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	11	64.7%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	0	0.0%	1,285	53.5%
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Reservation Based (21c)	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	60	9.4%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	5	8.3%	1,392	11.1%
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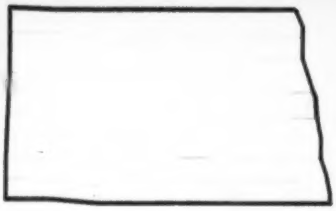

Traill County

County Seat: Hillsboro
State Population Rank: 17
Land Area: 861.9
Number of Households: 3,302
Number of Families: 2,293

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	TRAILL	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	8,695	1.4%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	594	27.6%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	1,558	72.4%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	2,408	28.0%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	2,371	98.5%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	6	0.3%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	17	0.7%	13,613	7.1%
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Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	61	2.5%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	194	8.6%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	1,057	74.1%	84,631	74.4%
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Family Home Placements (8)	7	87.5%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	1	12.5%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	384	52.5%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	302	13.5%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	69	12.5%	9,322	19.4%
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Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$28,941.00	96.4%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	311	13.9%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	129	5.8%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	121	1.4%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	233	0.7%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	429	52.6%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	261	1.1%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	3	3.5%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	1	1.2%	61	0.7%
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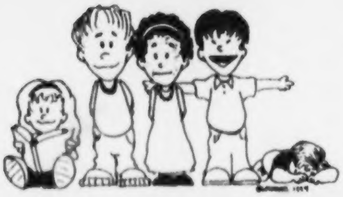

	TRAILL	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$4,129.69	94.3%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	1,884.42	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	3	0.5%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	46	43.4%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	41	89.1%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	5	10.9%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21)c	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	108	5.9%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	7	6.5%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	51	47.2%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	46	42.6%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	4	3.7%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	4	3.7%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	24	22.2%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	53	49.1%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	8	7.4%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	20.5	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	52	28.9%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	29	27.6%	1,555	39.1%
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Reports of Abuse and Neglect (24)	1	100.0%	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse (24)	4	0.0%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	24	0.7%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	9	0.3%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	395	1.1%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	42	0.1%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27)d	34	3.2%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	5	5.8%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29)e	47	0.6%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	26	55.3%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	2	4.3%	509	6.3%
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Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31)f	7	46.7%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	6	16.7%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 (33)	7	1.3%	780	2.1%

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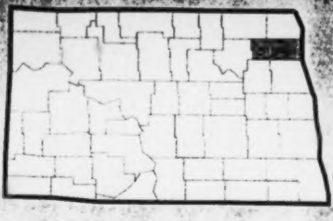

Walsh County

County Seat: Grafton
State Population Rank: 11
Land Area: 1,282.0
Number of Households: 4,836
Number of Families: 3,398

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	WALSH	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	12,789	2.0%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	1,014	30.1%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	2,350	69.9%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3)a	3,676	28.6%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	3,594	97.8%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	6	0.2%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	47	1.3%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	29	0.8%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4)a	239	6.5%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	509	13.3%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	1,757	77.6%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	885	75.6%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	872	79.6%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7)b	26	0.7%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	18	69.2%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	8	30.8%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	764	53.2%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	709	18.6%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	204	20.5%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	505	17.9%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$29,451.00	98.1%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	496	13.0%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	286	7.5%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	205	2.3%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	527	1.5%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	744	51.1%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	725	3.0%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	6	4.0%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	0	0.0%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 (18)	3	1.6%	84	1.4%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 (17)	6	4.0%	357	4.2%

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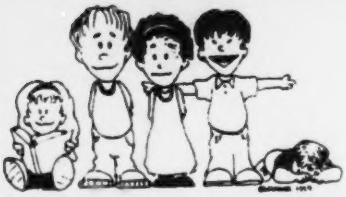

EDUCATION

	WALSH	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$4,128.43	94.3%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	2,589.92	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	10	1.3%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	34	52.3%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	34	100.0%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	0	0.0%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21)c	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	285	11.4%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	36	12.6%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	115	40.4%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	122	42.8%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	12	4.2%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	10	3.5%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	78	27.4%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	147	51.6%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	23	8.1%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	21.2	N/A	21.2	N/A

CHILD SAFETY

	WALSH	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	112	47.3%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	26	34.6%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	61	42.6%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect (24)	20	70.0%	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse (24)	5	80.0%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	30	0.9%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	24	0.7%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	400	1.1%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	120	0.3%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27)d	77	4.6%	3,282	3.8%

TEENS AT RISK

	WALSH	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	16	10.5%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29)e	191	2.4%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	72	37.7%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	18	9.4%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	68	35.6%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31)f	22	10.0%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	9	88.9%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 (33)	42	6.1%	780	2.1%

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North Dakota

Ward County

County Seat:	**Minot**
State Population Rank:	**4**
Land Area:	**2,013**
Number of Households:	**21,783**
Number of Families:	**15,498**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	WARD	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995[1]	58,778	9.2%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5[2]	5,331	33.1%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17[2]	10,777	66.9%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994[3a]	17,858	30.8%	190,575	29.9%
White[4]	16,468	92.2%	173,838	91.2%
Black[4]	575	3.2%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian[4]	514	2.9%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander[4]	301	1.7%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994[4a]	390	2.2%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990[5]	2,431	15.0%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.)[6]	8,315	70.0%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.)[6]	4,366	64.9%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.)[6]	3,949	75.6%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95[7b]	122	0.7%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements[8]	71	58.2%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements[8]	51	41.8%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96[9]	2,973	56.0%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990[5]	2,531	15.6%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5[10]	828	16.3%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17[11]	1,703	15.3%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990[12]	$27,414.00	91.3%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990[5]	2,621	16.2%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990[5]	1,004	6.2%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year[13]	1,090	12.2%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year[14]	2,052	5.8%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95[15]	2,701	52.7%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996[16]	3,069	12.7%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995[17]	47	4.7%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995[17]	8	0.8%	61	0.7%
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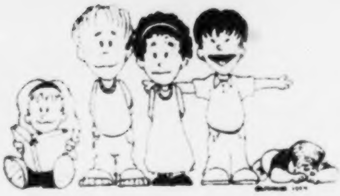

EDUCATION

	WARD	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$4,379.64	100.0%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	10,556.58	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	129	4.0%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	169	66.0%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	169	100.0%	1,285	53.5%
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Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	1,241	11.8%	12,578	10.6%
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Speech Impaired (23)	508	40.9%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	480	38.7%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	73	5.9%	1,008	8.0%
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CHILD SAFETY

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Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	165	5.0%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	111	3.4%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	2,891	8.1%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	555	1.6%	6,488	18.2%
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TEENS AT RISK

Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	41	4.1%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29)e	541	6.7%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	224	41.4%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	40	7.4%	509	6.3%
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North Dakota

Wells County

County Seat:	**Fessenden**
State Population Rank:	**26**
Land Area:	**1,271.4**
Number of Households:	**2,154**
Number of Families:	**1,504**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	WELLS	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 [1]	5,254	0.8%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 [2]	354	29.3%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 [2]	855	70.7%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 [3a]	1,335	24.9%	190,575	29.9%
White [4]	1,330	99.6%	173,838	91.2%
Black [4]	2	0.2%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian [4]	0	0.0%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander [4]	3	0.2%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 [4a]	5	0.4%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 [5]	136	9.5%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) [6]	675	73.3%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) [6]	299	70.2%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) [6]	376	75.8%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 [7b]	7	0.6%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements [8]	5	71.4%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements [8]	2	28.6%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 [9]	214	43.4%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 [5]	322	22.3%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 [10]	65	17.7%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 [11]	257	23.8%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 [12]	$24,402.00	81.3%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 [5]	264	18.2%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 [5]	138	9.5%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year [13]	50	0.6%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year [14]	286	0.8%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 [15]	210	41.6%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 [16]	147	0.6%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 [17]	0	0.0%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 [17]	0	0.0%	61	0.7%
Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 [18]	1	1.1%	84	1.4%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995 [17]	0	0.0%	357	4.2%

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	WELLS	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
EDUCATION				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-95 Academic Year (19)	$4,683.88	107.0%	$4,378.41	100.0%
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-95 Academic Year	1,080.96	N/A	120,439.75	N/A
Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	2	0.7%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 (20)	24	100.0%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based (21)	0	0.0%	1,285	53.5%
Home Based (21)	24	100.0%	375	15.6%
Reservation Based (21)	N/A	N/A	741	30.9%
Special Education Enrollment, 1995 (22)	108	9.9%	12,578	10.6%
Ages 0-5 (23)	9	8.3%	1,392	11.1%
Ages 6-11 (23)	53	49.1%	5,543	44.1%
Ages 12-17 (23)	40	37.0%	5,024	39.9%
Ages 18-21 (23)	6	5.6%	619	4.9%
Seriously Emotionally Disturbed (23)	1	0.9%	691	5.5%
Speech Impaired (23)	45	41.7%	4,125	32.8%
Specific Learning Disability (23)	38	35.2%	5,542	44.1%
Educable Mentally Handicapped (23)	9	8.3%	1,008	8.0%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1995-96 Academic Year	21.3	N/A	21.2	N/A
CHILD SAFETY				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 95 (24)	15	46.7%	4,602	42.4%
Reports of Abuse (24)	6	50.0%	1,555	39.1%
Reports of Neglect (24)	4	25.0%	2,034	47.5%
Reports of Abuse and Neglect (24)	3	66.7%	633	40.4%
Reports of Sexual Abuse (24)	2	50.0%	380	32.1%
Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 (25)	11	0.3%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 (25)	3	0.1%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 (26)	175	0.5%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 (26)	15	0.0%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 (27)	18	3.0%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 (28)	3	7.0%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) (29)	64	0.8%	8,070	100.0%
Unruly Behavior (30)	41	64.1%	3,464	42.9%
Offenses Against Person (30)	2	3.1%	509	6.3%
Offenses Against Property (30)	12	18.8%	2,394	29.7%
Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 (31)	29	61.7%	1,506	16.4%
Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996 (32)	5	20.0%	403	31.3%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, & Not in Labor Force, 1990 (33)	0	0.0%	780	2.1%

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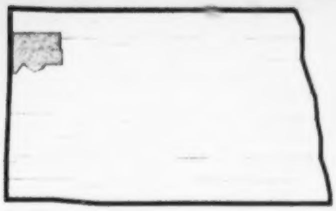

Williams County

County Seat:	**Williston**
State Population Rank:	**8**
Land Area:	**2,070.6**
Number of Households:	**7,822**
Number of Families:	**5,491**

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1995 estimates

	WILLIAMS	(%)	NORTH DAKOTA	(%)
POPULATION				
Total Population, 1995 (1)	20,546	3.2%	641,367	100.0%
Ages 0-5 (2)	1,741	29.6%	52,763	30.7%
Ages 6-17 (2)	4,134	70.4%	119,052	69.3%
Population By Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 (3a)	6,433	31.5%	190,575	29.9%
White (4)	5,905	91.8%	173,838	91.2%
Black (4)	8	0.1%	1,498	0.8%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian (4)	506	7.9%	13,613	7.1%
Asian, Pacific Islander (4)	14	0.2%	1,626	0.9%
Hispanic Origin of Any Race, 1994 (4a)	70	1.1%	2,348	1.2%
FAMILY COMPOSITION				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 (5)	921	14.6%	24,885	14.2%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in L.F.) (6)	3,024	73.2%	84,631	74.4%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in L.F.) (6)	1,453	67.6%	40,947	69.1%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in L.F.) (6)	1,571	78.3%	43,684	79.4%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 95 (7b)	66	1.1%	1,632	0.9%
Family Home Placements (8)	37	56.1%	1,108	67.9%
ND Residential Child Care Fac./Group Home Placements (8)	29	43.9%	524	32.1%
ECONOMIC CONDITION				
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 96 (9)	1,261	57.1%	35,413	55.2%
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 (5)	1,163	18.3%	29,732	16.9%
Under Age 5 (10)	306	19.3%	9,322	19.4%
Ages 5-17 (11)	857	18.0%	20,410	16.0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 (12)	$29,283.00	97.5%	$30,020.00	100.0%
Children in Near Poor Families, 1990 (5)	657	10.3%	22,193	12.6%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 (5)	427	6.7%	12,788	7.3%
CHILD HEALTH				
Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (13)	313	3.5%	8,971	100.0%
Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-95 Academic Year (14)	864	2.5%	26,350	100.0%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 95 (15)	1,228	53.9%	34,560	53.2%
Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) Participants FY 1996 (16)	905	3.7%	24,187	100.0%
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 (17)	7	2.8%	449	5.3%
Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 (17)	1	0.4%	61	0.7%
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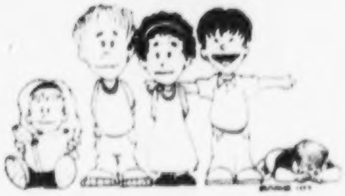

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Number & Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-95 Academic Year	58	4.3%	907	2.4%
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996 [20]	100	76.9%	2,401	66.7%
Center Based [21]	100	100.0%	1,285	53.5%
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Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 [25]	43	1.3%	1,972	59.7%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 [25]	82	2.5%	1,331	40.3%
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 [26]	623	1.8%	29,182	81.8%
Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 [26]	422	1.2%	6,488	18.2%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence Jan. 1-June 30, 1996 [27,d]	122	4.2%	3,282	3.8%
TEENS AT RISK				
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 [28]	25	10.1%	626	7.4%
Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 (duplicate count) [29,e]	249	3.1%	8,070	100.0%
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SOURCE: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.

State Population Rank is based on the ordering of all counties in the state by population.

SOURCE: Estimates of the Resident Population, North Dakota, 1995. U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.

Land Area is the size of a county in square miles.

SOURCE: 1990 Census Population and Housing, Population and Housing Unit Counts, North Dakota, 1990 CPH-2-36, U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.

Number of Households is the total number of persons who occupy a housing unit. A housing unit is a house, an apartment, a mobile home, a group of rooms, or a single room used as a separate living quarter. The number listed in this category reflects a person or groups of people living in a housing unit. For example, people living in a mobile home create one household. A mobile home could be unoccupied and be classified as a housing unit, not a household.

SOURCE: Household and Family Estimates, 1995, North Dakota State Data Center, Fargo, North Dakota.

Number of Families includes a householder and one or more other persons who are related to the householder by birth, marriage, or adoption.

SOURCE: Household and Family Estimates, 1995, North Dakota State Data Center, Fargo, North Dakota.

Population

Total Population, 1995 is the total number of people residing in North Dakota, based on 1995 population estimates. (Note that the 1995 estimates used in this publication were the most recent available figures at the time of printing). Age categories 0-5 years and 6-17 years indicate the total number of children in these respective age groups under the age of 18, according to 1995 population estimates. Total population estimates are compiled by the Census Bureau and based on estimates derived from administrative records: i.e., vital statistics, school enrollments, vehicle registrations, IRS filings, etc.

SOURCE: Population Estimates Branch, United States Bureau of the Census. North Dakota State Data Center, Fargo, North Dakota.

Population by Race of Children Under Age 19, 1994 denotes the child population by racial composition, based upon 1994 estimates. (Note that the 1994 race estimates used in this publication were the most recent available figures at the time of printing). Racial categories include: White, Black, Native American-Eskimo-Aleutian, and Asian-Pacific Islander. Hispanic is reported as a discrete classification because it is considered a separate ethnic category, which includes children of different racial backgrounds. Racial categories can be viewed as the ancestry, nationality group, lineage, or country of birth of the person or the person's parents or ancestors before their arrival in the United States. Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race. Race estimates are compiled by the Census Bureau and are based on estimates derived from administrative records: i.e., vital statistics, school enrollments, vehicle registrations, IRS filings, etc.

SOURCE: United States Bureau of the Census, Population Division, August 1996.

Family Composition

Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 is the number of children under age 18 who live in families headed by a person - male or female - with no spouse present in the home. Children in this category include "own children" under 18 who are never married and are related to the family by birth, marriage, or adoption.

SOURCE: Summary Tape File 1, Table P21, U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.

Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 is the total number of women over age 15 with children under 18, and the percentage of these women in the North Dakota Labor Force. With Children Under 6 includes women with children under 6 only, and women with children under 6 and one or more children ages 6-17 years, and the percentage of these women in the Labor Force. With Children 6-17 includes women with children ages 6-17 only, and the percentage of these women in the Labor Force. The Labor Force is defined as persons over age 15 who are employed (part- or full-time) or unemployed (have at some time been in the labor force and intend to be again). People not in the labor force include all persons 16 and over not classified as members of the labor force, such as students, retired people, housewives, and institutionalized people.

SOURCE: Summary Tape File 4B, Tables PB49 and PB56, U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.

Definitions and Data Sources

Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1995 are children placed in living situations outside their family homes as a result of juvenile court intervention. Foster care data include: Family Home Placements (an occupied private residence in which foster care is regularly provided by the owner or leasee thereof to no more than four children, unless all of the children in foster care are related to each other by blood or marriage in which case such limitation shall not apply); and N.D. Residential Child Care Facility (a facility other than an occupied private residence providing foster care to more than eight unrelated children, except as may be otherwise provided by rule or regulation)/Group Home Placements (an occupied private residence in which foster care is regularly provided for more than four but less than ten unrelated children).

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Human Services, Division of Children and Family Services. Foster Care -- Descriptive Characteristics of Children in Care, Fiscal Year 1995. Bismarck, N.D.

Economic Condition

Persons Under Age 21 Receiving AFDC & Medical Assistance FY 1996 Aid to Families with Dependent Children is an entitlement program that provides a monthly payment to parents or guardians on behalf of children who are defined as "dependent". AFDC is funded by both the federal and state governments and is administered by the state. Children must be found eligible to receive such assistance, by criteria laid down in federal and state law. Eligible are: needy children who have been deprived of support or care because of death, continued absence from the home, underemployment or unemployment of principal wage earner, or physical or mental handicap. Effective July 1, 1997, Aid to Families with Dependent Children will be replaced by Temporary Assistance for Needy Families. Eligibility requirements for the new legislation will be determined by state governments and will vary state-by state. Medical Assistance (Medicaid): Established in 1965, Medicaid is a joint federal-state matching entitlement program that pays for medically necessary health care services provided to eligible beneficiaries by qualified providers. Federal and state dollars combine to purchase health care for the poor elderly or disabled and for poor children and their families. Some Medicaid recipients include children who are not eligible for AFDC, but meet other Medicaid eligibility requirements, such as those with disabilities. The total number of children under age 21 receiving Medicaid only are listed under Child Health.

SOURCE: AFDC, Food Stamps, Medical Assistance, LIHEAP, Unduplicated Counts of Eligible Recipients and Cases by County of Physical Residence, Fiscal Year 1996. Research and Statistics, North Dakota Department of Human Services.

Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1990 is the number of related children under age 18 who live in families with incomes below the poverty threshold. The "Federal Poverty Line" or "Poverty Threshold" was established in 1964, using guidelines set by the Social Security Administration. Income cut-offs were based on a formula utilizing family and individual income, family size and age of family members. The formula was initially based on three times a family's food costs, according to the USDA's most economical food plans. The cost of this food plan has been adjusted each year to reflect more current economic guidelines.

The 1997 Federal Poverty Level Guidelines are:

Family Size	Hourly Wage	Annual Income
1	**$3.77**	**$7,890**
2	5.08	10,610
3	**6.39**	**13,330**
4	7.69	16,050
5	**8.99**	**18,770**
6	10.29	21,490

(Add $2,720 for each additional member)

SOURCE: Summary Tape File 4, Table PB100, U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.

Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 is the middle point income of the total number of families with children, including those with no income. The median income is the middle point income for this distribution: half of families with children fall above this point and half fall below.

SOURCE: 1990 Census of Population, Social and Economic Characteristics, North Dakota, 1990 CP-2-36, U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.

Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 denotes children under age 18 who live in families with incomes between 100 and 149 percent of the poverty threshold, as defined by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget.

SOURCE: Summary Tape File 4, Table PB101, U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.

Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 denotes children under age 18 who live in families with incomes below 50 percent of the poverty threshold, as defined by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget.

SOURCE: Summary Tape File 4, Table PB101, U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.

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Child Health

Children Receiving Reduced-Price Lunch, 1994-1995 Academic Year. Federal child nutrition programs are structured as entitlements - available to eligible children - and funded by the federal government. Children who participate in school-based nutrition programs receive reduced-price or free lunch at their schools (they may also receive reduced-price or free breakfast and/or milk). To receive a reduced-price meal, household income must be below 185% of the federal poverty threshold, as defined by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget.

SOURCE: Child Nutrition and Food Distribution Programs, North Dakota Department of Public Instruction. Unpublished Data.

Children Receiving Free Lunch, 1994-1995 Academic Year. Federal child nutrition programs are structured as entitlements - available to eligible children - and funded by the federal government. Children who participate in school-based nutrition programs receive reduced-price or free lunch at their schools (they may also receive reduced-price or free breakfast and/or milk). To receive a free meal, household income must be below 130% of the federal poverty threshold as defined by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget. Children in food stamp or AFDC families are automatically eligible for free school meals. Families who receive commodity assistance through food distribution programs on Native American reservations are also automatically eligible for free school meals.

SOURCE: Child Nutrition and Food Distribution Programs, North Dakota Department of Public Instruction. Unpublished Data.

Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid FY 1995. Medicaid is a federally funded entitlement program available to eligible children based upon need. It is designed to assist individuals and families who do not have enough income to obtain health care. Medicaid is authorized by Title XIX, a 1965 amendment to the federal Social Security Act. Eligible persons include those receiving AFDC or SSI payments; those terminated by AFDC and in transition for 4-12 months; elderly, blind, or disabled people with low incomes; persons institutionalized, in foster homes, and certain adoptive children; and pregnant women with infants to age 6. Medicaid differs from Medicare which is a federally funded program for the elderly and disabled only.

SOURCE: Traditional Medicaid, Fiscal Year 1995, By County, Research and Statistics, North Dakota Department of Human Services.

WIC (Special Supplemental Food Program for Women, Infants, and Children) Participants FY 1996. The WIC Program provides coupons for specific foods to low-income pregnant and postpartum women, infants, and children under age five. To be eligible for WIC, low-income women, infants, and children must be found to be at nutritional risk for medical or dietary reasons. WIC is a prevention program targeted to provide nutrition education, nutritious food, and access to health care. This is not an entitlement program.

SOURCE: North Dakota State Department of Health, WIC Program, Division of Maternal and Child Health.

Low Birth Weight Babies, 1995 refers to babies weighing less than 2,500 grams (5 pounds, 8 ounces) at birth. Data are obtained from birth certificates and are reported by mother's county of residence, rather than the location of the hospital where the birth occurred.

SOURCE: North Dakota Resident Vital Event Summary Data, 1995, North Dakota Department of Health and Consolidated Laboratories, Vital Record..

Deaths of Infants Under Age 1, 1995 reports the number of deaths occurring for infants under the age of one, as recorded on death certificates. Data are reported by the infant's county of residence, rather than the location of death.

SOURCE: North Dakota Resident Vital Event Summary Data, 1995, North Dakota Department of Health and Consolidated Laboratories, Vital Records.

Deaths of Children Under Age 20, 1995 is a report of deaths for children under age 20, as recorded on death certificates. Data are reported by the child's county of residence, rather than the location of death.

SOURCE: North Dakota Resident Vital Event Summary Data, 1995, North Dakota Department of Health and Consolidated Laboratories, Vital Records.

Inadequate Prenatal Care, 1995. These data are calculated by using both an infant's gestational age at birth and the number of prenatal visits completed by the mother at the time of birth: **a)** gestational age 14-21 weeks with no prenatal visits; **b)** gestational age 22-29 weeks with one or fewer visits; **c)** gestational age 30-31 weeks with two or fewer prenatal visits; **d)** gestational age 32-33 weeks with three or fewer prenatal visits; **e)** gestational age 34+ weeks with 4 or fewer prenatal visits. "Adequate prenatal care" denotes women who began their prenatal care in the first four months of pregnancy and given the age of gestation at birth, made at least 80% of the recommended physician or clinic visits prior to delivery.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Health and Consolidated Laboratories. 1995 Vital Statistics Report, North Dakota. Unpublished Data.

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Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1994-1995 Academic Year include per pupil expenditures for instruction, administration, operation, and maintenance for school plants in respective areas of North Dakota during a given school year.

SOURCE: School Finance Facts, North Dakota Department of Public Instruction, 1996.

Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1994-1995 Academic Year is the average number of pupils enrolled per day for respective areas of North Dakota in the academic school year.

SOURCE: School Finance Facts, North Dakota Department of Public Instruction, 1996.

Number and Rate of Dropouts Grades 9-12, 1994-1995 Academic Year measures the proportion of this population who have not completed high school and are not enrolled at a given point in time, regardless of when they dropped out.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Public Instruction, Management, Information, and Research, 1996. Unpublished Data.

Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 1996, Center Based, Home Based, and Reservation Based. Authorized by the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964, Head Start is a federally funded, comprehensive early childhood education program created to help prepare economically disadvantaged children ages 3 to 5 to enter and succeed in elementary school. Ninety percent of children in the program must be from families with an income at or below the federal poverty level, while ten percent can be from families that are not poor. At least ten percent of Head Start slots in each state must be reserved for handicapped children. Services include cognitive and language development; medical, dental, and mental health services (including screening and immunizations); and nutritional and social services. Parent involvement is a strong component of the program. In North Dakota, only 3-4 year olds are served, and not all eligible children are enrolled, as reflected in the variable participation rates among counties. Participation rates are impacted by both availability of programs and parental choice in enrolling their children.

SOURCE: North Dakota Head Start Directors. Response to Special Request for Head Start Data: Fall Enrollment, 1996. Unpublished Data.

Special Education Enrollment 1995 includes the number of children enrolled in selected special education categories: seriously emotionally disturbed, speech impaired, and specific learning disabilities. Seriously Emotionally Disturbed refers to a condition exhibiting one or more of the following characteristics, over a long period of time, and to a marked degree that adversely affects a child's educational performance: 1) inability to learn what cannot be explained by intellectual, sensory, or health factors; 2) inability to build or maintain satisfactory interpersonal relationships with peers and teachers; 3) inappropriate types of behavior or feelings under normal circumstances; 4) a general pervasive mood of unhappiness or depression; 5) a tendency to develop physical symptoms or fears associated with personal or school problems. The term also includes schizophrenia. The term does not apply to children who are socially maladjusted unless it's determined they have a serious emotional disturbance. Speech Impaired refers to a communication disorder such as stuttering, impaired articulation, a language impairment, or a voice impairment that adversely affects a child's educational performance. Specific Learning Disability refers to a disorder in one or more of the basic psychological processes involved in understanding or in using language, spoken or written, that may manifest itself in an imperfect ability to listen, think, speak, read, write, spell, or do mathematical calculations. The term includes such conditions as perceptual disabilities, brain injury, minimal brain dysfunction, dyslexia, and developmental aphasia. The term does not apply to children who have learning problems that are primarily the result of visual, hearing, or motor disabilities, of mental retardation, of emotional disturbance, or of environmental, cultural, or economic disadvantage. Educable Mentally Handicapped refers to significantly subaverage general intellectual functioning existing with additional deficits in motor, emotional, and social development.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Public Instruction, Division of Special Education. Special Education Child Count, 1995. Unpublished Data.

Average ACT Composite Scores 1995-1996 Academic Year are average scores for the composite American College Test (ACT) college entrance exam in the state, region, and county. ACT scores are designed to predict a student's potential for success in college. The highest possible score one can obtain is 36, and the average score in North Dakota is 21.2.

SOURCE: Research Division, Department of Program Evaluation and Institutional Research Services, ACT.

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Child Safety

Child Abuse and Neglect Reports FY 1995 are the total number of official reports made to the North Dakota Department of Human Services on behalf of a child where there is the suspicion of child abuse or neglect. The North Dakota Century Code mandates certain persons (those who have contact with children as a part of their professional duties) to report incidents of suspected child abuse or neglect. Any person may report. The Department of Human Services or its designated agent, a regional or county child protective services social worker, will respond to the report by conducting a family assessment. The number of reported cases of child abuse and neglect typically differ from actual cases because not all instances of abuse and neglect will be reported. However, assessments will be conducted on all reported cases. If an assessment determines that abuse did occur, the case then becomes substantiated, or probable cause is found. Abuse includes fatality, brain damage/skull fracture, subdural hemorrhage, bone fracture, dislocation/sprain, internal injuries, intentional poisoning, burns/scalds, severe cuts/lacerations/bruises, other major physical injury, minor fracture/sprain, minor cuts/bruises/welts, twisting/shaking, other minor injury, physical punishment without injury, emotional abuse, tying/closed confinement. Neglect includes failure to provide nourishment, to provide shelter, clothing, health care, supervision and can also refer to educational neglect, emotional neglect, abandonment and failure to thrive. Abuse and Neglect is both abuse and neglect as categorically aforementioned. Sexual Abuse includes intercourse, other sexual exploitation, sexual fondling, and other sexual related offenses as defined by North Dakota Century Code Chapter 12.1-20.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Human Services, Division of Children and Family Services. Child Abuse and Neglect in North Dakota FY 1995.

Licensed Child Care Providers, 1997 are individuals or facilities to whom the right, authority, or permission has been granted by the North Dakota Department of Human Services to operate a family child care home, group child care facility, child care center or preschool educational facility. A license is required if early childhood services are provided for four or more children ages 24 months and under or six or more children at any one time. Family child care home means an occupied private residence in which early childhood services are provided for no more than seven children at any one time, except that the term includes a residence providing early childhood services to two additional school-aged children during the two hours immediately before and after the school day or all day (except weekends when school is not in session). Group child care home or group child care facility means a child care facility where early childhood services are provided for eight to eighteen children (inclusive) or a facility, other than an occupied private residence serving fewer than eight children. Child care center refers to an early childhood facility where early childhood services are provided to nineteen or more children. Preschool educational facility denotes a facility offering early childhood services and following a preschool curriculum and course of study designed primarily to enhance the educational development of the children enrolled in the facility. Children are served for no more than three hours per day.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Human Services. Number and Capacity of Licensed Day Care Providers 1997. Tribal Child Care Assistance Specialists, 1997. Unpublished Data.

Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Providers, 1997 denotes child care providers who have completed an Affidavit of Standard Compliance and Child Care Provider Contract. This is a voluntary self-certification process for providers who are not licensed and care for five or fewer children.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Human Services. Number and Capacity of Licensed Day Care Providers 1997. Tribal Child Care Assistance Specialists, 1997. Unpublished Data.

Licensed Child Care Capacity, 1997 and Standard Compliance Certification/In-Home Capacity, 1997 is the number of children that can be served by respective licensed, standard compliance, and in-home care providers.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Human Services. Number and Capacity of Licensed Day Care Providers 1997. Tribal Child Care Assistance Specialists, 1997. Unpublished Data.

Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, January 1-June 30, 1996 refers to the number of children affected by domestic violence occurring in their home. Domestic violence typically refers to the use or threat of physical force against a current or former partner in an intimate relationship, resulting in fear and/or physical suffering on the part of the victim and witnessing household members.

SOURCE: North Dakota Council on Abused Women's Services, 1996. Unpublished Data.

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Teens at Risk

Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19, 1995 are births occurring in 1995 to a mother who is not married at the time of conception, at the time of birth, or at any time between conception and birth.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Health and Consolidated Laboratories. 1995. Unpublished Data.

Juvenile Court Referrals, 1995 include children in the top three categories for Juvenile Court referrals: Unruly Behavior, Offenses Against Person, and Offenses Against Property. Referrals are cases that have been referred to Juvenile Court, and can be made by police, parents, school teacher/officials, or other sources. Unruly Behavior includes possession or purchase of alcoholic beverages, runaway in and out of state, truancy, ungovernable behavior, violation of conditions for conduct and control, violation of curfew, and other unruly behavior. Offenses Against Person includes assault, homicide, kidnaping or unlawful restraint, sex offenses, and other offenses against person. Offenses Against Property includes arson or endangering by fire, burglary, criminal mischief or damaging property, criminal trespass, forgery and counterfeiting, robbery, shoplifting, theft (other than shoplifting), unauthorized use of vehicle, and other offenses against property.

SOURCE: Office of State Court Administrator. (1995). Juvenile Court Reporting System. Unpublished Data.

Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations, 1995 refers to the number of children under age 18 who violate state or local liquor laws. The offenses in this category include: minor in possession, minor in a liquor establishment, minor attempting to purchase alcohol, contributing to the delinquency of a minor, and miscellaneous other violations related to alcohol, excluding driving under the influence and open container.

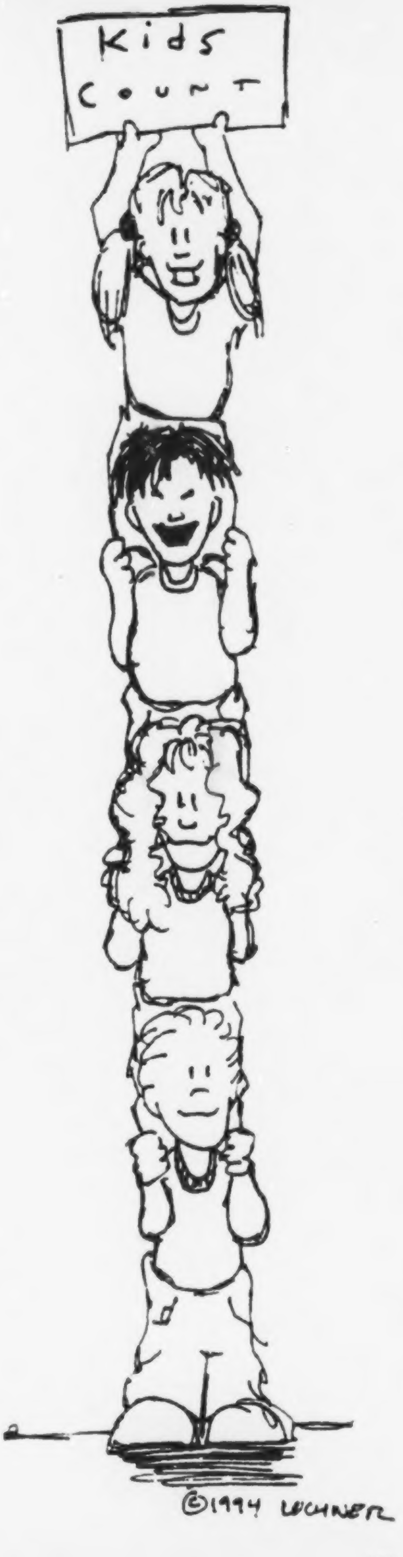
SOURCE: North Dakota Office of the Attorney General, Bureau of Criminal Investigation, Uniform Crime Statistics. Unpublished Data. 1995.

Tobacco Outlets Illegally Selling Cigarettes to Minors, 1996. A random sample of 403 tobacco retailers across North Dakota was included in a statewide tobacco sales compliance survey conducted between July 24 and August 17, 1996. The purpose of the survey was to determine the frequency with which tobacco retailers sell tobacco products illegally to minors and to gather information on conditions (type of retail outlet; location of the cigarettes within the retail outlet; presence and type of tobacco-control ordinance in the community, etc.) that might affect these sales. While the survey was designed to indicate the frequency of illegal tobacco sales to minors on a statewide basis, permission was obtained to publish regional and county results, recognizing that numbers and percentages are based on a stratified random sample for each location.

SOURCE: Bureau of Governmental Affairs, University of North Dakota, Grand Forks, ND. Tobacco Sales Compliance Survey, October 1996. North Department of Human Services.

Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 1990 measures the proportion of the population in this age category, who have not completed high school and are not enrolled at a given point in time; nor are they in the labor force at a given point in time.

SOURCE: Summary Tape File 4, Table PB46, U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.



Summary

The North Dakota KIDS COUNT! Fact Book is designed to help citizens, program administrators, policy-makers, and decision-makers on all levels better understand and respond to the issues affecting local children. Local communities can play a particularly vital role in improving outcomes for their children by involving a broad range of community members in addressing identified areas of concern. The following resources are available to help local communities with this process:

1. Community Education. Extension Educators across North Dakota have been trained to bring North Dakota KIDS COUNT! curriculum presentations to local community groups across the state. If you are a parent, educator, medical provider, legal advisor, religious professional, business representative, or citizen concerned about the well-being of local children, invite your Extension Educator to bring the KIDS COUNT! curriculum to a group of concerned individuals in your community. Becoming aware of the issues impacting local children is an excellent first step in seeking solutions that will improve their lives.

2. Welfare Reform. As welfare reform is implemented, there will be a greater need for community vigilance to the needs of local children, because changes in the needs of these children will first become evident in the places their families turn for help within their local communities. Monitoring short-term changes is particularly critical to help communities identify families and children most dramatically affected by changes in welfare law. Tracking changes in children's daily needs is a fairly simple, yet effective, way to gauge the impact of the new welfare law on local children and families: Are there changes in the numbers of families with children seeking housing in homeless shelters? Are there increased demands for food available through local food pantries? Are there more families who can't pay for heat or telephone service or food? Are child support payments helping to support more single-parent families? Are more children being removed from their homes because their families are destitute?

As private citizens, these are important questions to ask within your local community. If service providers or others wish to monitor the effects of welfare reform in a more formal way, the Coalition on Human Needs has created a simple monitoring survey for completion by selected low-income families at quarterly intervals. This instrument is to be completed without identifying participating families. It was designed for use by local groups in measuring how changes are being implemented in their communities and recording the impact of changes on families. The Coalition on Human Needs is also willing to tabulate survey results for local organizations. The information gathered through this process can be used to inform state and local discussions about unmet needs of children and families. If you are interested in more information about monitoring welfare reform, contact the Coalition on Human Needs at 202-342-0726 (phone), 202-338-1856 (fax), or hn0079@handsnet.org (email); or the North Dakota KIDS COUNT! office at 701-777-4086 for more information on additional resources.

3. Learn about local and regional programs that can help mobilize community support for local children.

- Regional Children's Services Coordinating Committees (RCSCC's) are located in each of the eight service delivery regions of the state to coordinate and monitor children's programming. If your community has identified an unmet area of need for local children, your RCSCC may be able to help find ways to address the problem. Call the North Dakota KIDS COUNT! office at 701-777-4086 for the name of your local contact person.
- The Child Watch Program offers a practical way to familiarize community members with conditions affecting local children. Through Child Watch, communities organize field trips for local citizens to program sites where specific children's needs are illustrated. Paralleling similar efforts across the United States, some North Dakota communities have conducted Child Watch Visitations, using the experience as a catalyst to involve community members in finding solutions to problems facing local children. North Dakota has a Child Watch Trainer available to help interested communities learn how to organize a Child Watch Training Program. For information about Child Watch, contact the National Child Watch office at 202-662-3660 or the North Dakota KIDS COUNT! office at 701-777-4086.

- The Children's Sabbath Program is an effort designed to engage members of faith communities across America in learning about the challenges facing their children. Each October, churches and synagogues join in special worship services, education programs, and related activities inspiring people of all faiths to respond to children's needs. Many North Dakota faith communities have observed the Children's Sabbath for the past three years. The 1997 Observance of Children's Sabbath is scheduled for October 17, 18, and 19. For more information about Children's Sabbath, contact the National Children's Sabbath office at 202-662-3589; your local religious leaders; or the North Dakota KIDS COUNT! office at 701-777-4086.
- Join with others in your community to Stand For Children everyday. Demonstrate the commitment of your local community to creating brighter futures for children by forming a Children's Action Team (CAT). Inspired by Stand For Children Day held at the Lincoln Memorial on June 1, 1996, 170 CAT's in 38 states are actively working to promote the well-being of local children. Children's Action Teams are becoming an organizational core of ongoing work for children in the communities where they live. CAT participants sponsor a variety of events to directly benefit children and to encourage responsible decision-making on their behalf. Stand For Children Day is now celebrated in local cities and towns across America, and brings community members together in affirming their resolve to put children first every day -- in keeping them healthy and happy, clothed and properly fed, protected from violence, well-educated, and fully prepared for all that life has to offer. For more information about Stand For Children, contact the national Stand For Children office at 1-800-663-4032 (phone), 202-234-0217 (fax), or tellstand@stand.org (email); or contact the North Dakota KIDS COUNT! office at 701-777-4086.

6. Share your concern for children with others. Be a voice for children at your job; at the YMCA; in your faith community; among your neighbors; at your child's schools and everywhere you go. Keep informed about legislation involving children, and when there are issues that you feel strongly about, contact your state and local legislators to voice your opinions. Children's policy-making should represent the best possible combination of local, regional, and state-level problem-solving.

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